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### **EDITOR'S FOREWORD**



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1996-1997 has been a very special year for the yearbook because the three schools have decided to do the layout and design of all the pages on the computer. It has been particularly difficult for the Senior School because we had to train all the members of the Committee to use PageMaker and to make matters worse, I am a complete computer idiot! Luckily, with the help of Mr. Jackson, Mrs. Richards and the support of Ms. Roth, we all survived the transition and most of the staff are now capable of operating the program.

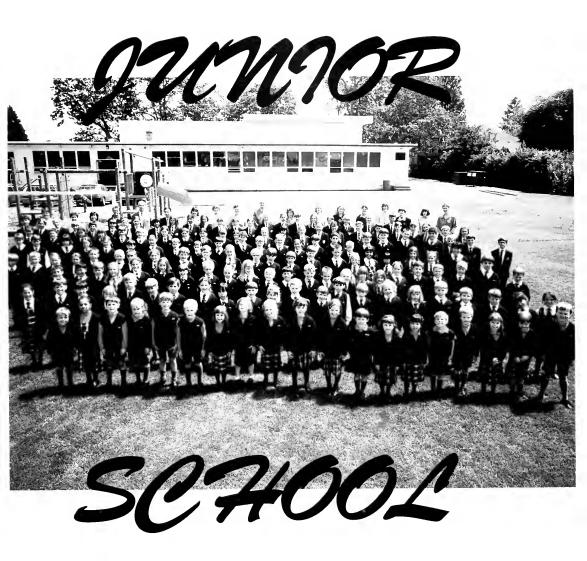
Special thanks to Mr. Smith, for photocopying all the tiny images (Sorry for killing all those trees!!) designed by this year's top grade 11 artist, David Tseng. The Middle School section and parts of the Senior School section are "equipped" with "Flip-Pages TM", and hopefully, all of you will be flipping through the yearbook more than once for "non-stop" cartoon action. Thanks to Aries for chatting with me and coming up with this fabulous idea.

Thanks also to Mrs. Card, the Accounting Office, the Development Office, Mrs. Moore, Mrs. Winters, Mrs. Nason and Mrs. Strauss for their help and continuous support. The yearbook will not exist without their assistance and constant encouragement.

This yearbook cannot possibly be produced without the help of the yearbook staff and there are just too many of you to mention! A big thank you to all of you for your hard work and for giving up your spare time everyday after school to help. To the grads who helped out this year, good luck to all of you in the future! To those who are staying, Steve Wong will need your regular support next year because he will be taking over as Editor, with Vanessa Lee as his assistant.

Some final thoughts on the yearbook: the main reason for joining the Yearbook Committee for the past 2 years is because I feel very proud when I see a page that I have designed appear in over 600 yearbooks. Besides that, every single page in the yearbook gives everyone a particular memory about a certain event and this is what makes the job really rewarding.

Thanks again for a tremendous and truly unforgettable experience.



### DIRECTOR'S FOREWARD

When I decided to make St Michaels University School my new career and Victoria my home, I knew I was beginning an exciting phase in my life. You do not make such changes without long, serious thoughts and lots of self analysis. I had to think hard about the affect upon my family as well as myself. I had to weigh the benefits of change opposed to stability. In the end my family's risk-taking, adventurous side took precedence over any qualms that we had. We have not regretted it one bit.

I knew the Junior School would be a warm and busy environment where the attitudes to academics and personal growth were equally balanced in a nurturing and challenging environment. The school has provided many opportunities for me to learn and grow this year. I have thrilled at the excitement the students have derived from their studies. At every grade level there was a sense of energy as new projects or activities were initiated. The interest of these young children in their own learning is always high and constant. Teaching such children is an enormous privilege and, of course, lots of fun. You can more than meet learning expectations and go on to stretch those minds further. It is humbling and energizing to be a leader in this wonderful school!

I would like to thank all the parents and students of the Junior School who made me feel welcome from the first day on. The patience you have all displayed as I learned the ropes of my new world has been long-suffering! Neither would I have been as effective without the support of the marvelous teachers of the Junior School. They have spent many hours teaching me the traditions and routines that are important to a school with the reputation we have at St. Michaels University School. Patient to the end, has been Wendy Wilson, who has organized me daily, weekly, monthly, with never an exasperated word or look!

Finally, I would like to say a fond farewell to Peter Bousfield, teacher of Grade 5 English and Grade 4 Social Studies this year. After many years Mr. Bousfield is retiring to begin an exciting life on the golf course and tennis courts. We hope he will enjoy every well-earned minute! The good wishes and resounding thanks of the whole school, teachers, students, young and old, near and far, go with him.

Farewell for now-see you in the September in the newly renovated halls of the Junior School!

Sally P. Blyth, Director St. Michaels University Junior School



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### JUNIOR SCHOOL STAFF



Back Row L-R John Harris, Diana Nason, Kathleen Cook, Kelly Lindsay. Sunny Pollard, Susan Moore, Mary Smith Peter Bousfield, Heidi Davis, Gary Barber

Front Row L-R Eiko Larson, Yoko Guthrie, Katie Dent. Anna Forbes, Sally Blyth, Wendy Wilson, Adrienne Boulton, Gordon Chan.

Missing from photo: Mary Hunphreys



#### Farewell, Mr. Bousfield

We bid a fond farewell to Mr. Bousfield in June. After a long association with the school, including his early education and 26 years of teaching, he decided he wanted more time for golf, and other interests. He will be remembered as a fine teacher of English and Social Studies, who managed yearly, to encourage wonderful writing from his students. We're happy to know that his commitment to the school will continue, as he will be involved at the Development Office. We'll miss those wonderful one liners that put smiles on all our faces. Enjoy your well deserved retirement, Mr. Bousfield.

The following is an excerpt from a song sung by the female staff for Mr. Bousfield at his retirement dinner.

Lyrics by Sunny Pollard

Thank heavens, Bowser Boy, you're going to join the newest swinging scene. Thank heavens, Bowser Boy, you're changing from caffeine to Ovaltine. Your charm, your laughs still lift us to the ceiling, one silly comment always sends the staff room reeling.

Thank heavens, we've worked with you; we won't forget your charm, your wit ...A teacher such as you....Without you....What would boys and girls do?

Thank heavens....Thank heavens....

Thank heavens....Just for you!

### **KINDERGARTEN**



Back Row L-R Ms. Lindsay, Amrita Pooni, Tom Bridger, Monica Rossa, Charles Leitz, Mackenzie Stone, Katherine Peiffer, Douglas Grimmer, Madeline Parrott
Front Row L-R Rachel Davel, Heather Timms, Elliott Wheeler, Janelle Hill, Olev Anniko, Joel Nason, KimberleyAnn McLean, Jennifer Bassyouni, Jake Kislock





### **GRADE ONE**



BACK ROW L-R Mrs Cook, Peter Currie, Jeremy Chew, Andrew Crow, CLayton Thornber, Michael Van der Westhuizen, Hannah Wilson, Curtis Smith

MIDDLE ROW L-R Oristina Bachand, Manny Pasquale, Nicole Cook, Owen Duckett Terra Barnes, Gillian Harper, Carlie Hutchison FRONT ROW L-R Adam Kenes, Jack Wooder, Terry Kho, Annelies Bekes, Louis Hayes, Evan Rankin, Darren Broome, Jenny Jackson.







### **GRADE TWO**

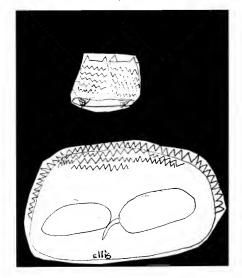


Front Row L-R Kelly Sharp, Jane Wooder, Nicholas Burnett, Daniel Dale, Justin Ko, Molly Cameron, Mckyla McIntyre, Jennifer Smith.

Middle Row L-R Miss Moore, Duncan McIntyre, Ellis Gray, Christopher McCrodan, Taisuke Nakano-Scott, Callie Waters, Stephen
Dong, Shane Keepence, Cheymus McNulty.

Back Row L-R Kevin O'Riordan, Danielle Denley, Anne Penner, Aaron Brook, Ria Mavrikos, Stephanie Pollard, Joshua Wilson.









#### The Discovery of Planet X

The year was 2046. The month was June. There was a probe sent out into space, to see if there was a Planet X. Discoverer 1 was two times as fast as light. In one hour, Discoverer 1 was at the asteroid belt. It went past Jupiter, Saturn, Neptune and Pluto. Then Discoverer 1 blasted up to the stars. The probe had all sorts of stuff on it. Oxygen tanks, astronauts, cargo, zap guns for shooting unexpected Aliens, and some food. Then they saw a light. It was bigger than all of them. They got closer to it, but it was only a star. Then they saw something else. It was quite invisible. It was a black hole. They quickly turned away and landed on a planet, but it wasn't Planet X. It was Planet S. What had happened was that Discoverer 1 had landed on one of Planet X's moons. Then they took off and Discoverer 1 landed on Planet X. They got off the probe and took a look around. They looked around and saw nothing. Then they heard something. It was getting louder and louder and louder, and then they saw it. It was an alien army. They ran back to Discoverer 1 (the probe). They took off and did the same thing backward all the way to Earth. When they got back, they told everybody about their adventure.

Kevin O'Riordan

#### RAIN

As I look out my window at the pouring rain,
I think about how it's rained again.
I can't go outside anymore,
I sigh as I look at the door.
As I sing a song,
I keep on thinking about how this weekend is so long.
I want to go to school,
I am tired of not one rule.
My brother is at a sleepover,
and no one can come over.
Just as I look outside to see the rain has come to a stop,
I am so happy I begin to hop!

Mckyla McIntyre



#### BLIZZARD

Wind Snow ICE The Blizzard of 96. One day there

One day there was snow and more came then some ice and it turned into the blizzard of 96. Then some wind came.

Aaron Brook

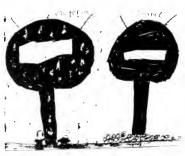
### **GRADE THREE**



Front Row L-R Christina Moser, Felicia Chapheau, Evan Finlay, James Bridger, Alastair Crow, Emma Bjornert, Gabrielle Quinlan, Baylie McKnight, Laura Faryna.

Middle Row L-R Amber Hill, Taylor McKinnon, Christopher Snider, Jasmine Bains, Rice Honeywell, Anton Laipnieks, Dan Christensen, Mrs. Sunny Pollard.

Back Row L-R Scott Stone, Fraser Gow, Bianka Saravana-Bawan, Benz Phaisaltantiwongs, Matthew Gow, Alexandra Lee.



Whoppers
It rained so hard that the weather station moved to France.
The witch's cackle was so loud that it rumbled the Earth.
Felicia Chapheau







Baylie McKnight



Five Little Dinosaurs Five little dinosaurs trying to roar. Along came a rock fall then there were four. Four little dinosaurs swimming in the sea. Along came a huge wave then there were three. Three little dinosaurs needing something to do. Along came a Deinoychus then there were two. Two little dinosaurs staring at the sun. Along came a drought then there was one. One little dinosaur our story's almost done. Along came an Iguanadon then there was none. Laura Faryna





Amber Hill

### **GRADE FOUR**



Grade 4D

Front Row L-R Jeremy Hanson-Finger, Cheryl Tyndall, Christopher Burnett, Julie Ehrmantraut, Melissa Ko, Daniel McIlvaney, Michael Loomer.

Middle Row L-R Mrs. Nason, Janel Willms, Sydney Plavins, John Vernon, Nicholas Csomany
Back Row L-R Davide Loggia, Graeme McCrodan, Tisah Tucknott, Evan Hesketh, Tomi Cherniawsky, Isiah Pasquale.



Grade 4F
Front Row L-R Taryn Bodrug, Evan Morgan, Ellie Shortt, Jeannine Bartz, Brendan Inglis, Quinn Cope, Liam Flannigan.
Middle Row L-R Mrs. Forbes, Sean Smith, Marisa Brook, Jocelyn Smith, Diana Izard, Eve Honeywell.
Back Row L-R Sidney McLaughlin, Kurt Penner, Andrew Sharp, Navraj Chima, Robert Orr.



#### A Winter's Night in the Snow

As I gallop through the woods on my horse, Calypso the snow gently patters on my back. I slow Calypso down to a walk to watch the soft, heavy snow, come down thicker, weighing the branches down until they almost touch the ground. I watch the snowflakes, dancing, whirling, around and around until they fall to the ground. This calm, peaceful world is suddenly shattered as a pheasant beats its wings and flutters to the sky, causing a heavily snow-laden branch to sway, dropping all of its snow. The snow becomes thicker so that I can only see a few feet ahead of me. I call to my horse to head home, but my voice is lost in the wind. Calypso didn't need me to tell him to head home, he knew already. As I leave the dark, cold woods, I think how peaceful it is.

Diana Izard, 4F

#### Festive Food

As I walked in the kitchen I could smell that old fashioned scrumptious smell and the sound of the water sizzling. And when I sat down we said grace and the lined surface of the gnochhi was so fluffy, so bumpy, so spicy. The white soft gnocchi so chewy, so chewy, so chewy. At my Grandma's it is always cheerful, always warm. The old flowered table cloth I know so well, always warm, always big.

Isiah Pasquale 4D



#### Janel

Colorful, enthusiastic, kind, short-haired, Sister of Anna and Evan.
Who loves art, corn, watermelon, whiskers Who fears spiders, wasps, the dark Who would like to see Small Hope Bay, Stratford On Avon, Paris A resident of Victoria

Reader.

Janel Willms 4D



### **GRADE FIVE**



Grade 5J

Front Row L-R Deanna Singh, Michael Millerchip, Huf McIntyre, Matthew Hill, Jeffrey Mitchelmore, Nicholas Purcell, Laura Saunders

Middle Row L-R Ian Broome, Jory Mackay, Reay Foster, Jamie Lee, Samantha Saravana-Bawan, Michelle Gow Back Row L-R Mr. Harris, Meredith Lewis, Farrah Merali, Ariane Vincent, Andrew Vander Westhuizen, Christina Moseley, Nicholas Hargrove



#### **GRADE 5P**

Front Row L-R Bianca Bartz. John McIntosh, Gillian Kirkham, Shannon Ko, Shannon Waters, Alec Harper, Jennifer Blumberg Middle Row L-R Stephen Paulson, Nikolas Sopow, Mark Zakus, Adam Jennings, Justin Pommerville, Laura Christensen, Lucas Cameron

Front Row L-R Mr Bousfield, Bria Wilson, Robyn Plasterer, Mathis Rogner, Brittany Crow, Jessica Crow, Jessica Moll, Bradley Booth



THE HORSE THE MUSCLE LIKE STEEL SO SLEEK AND SLIM. THE MANE A THUNDER-BLACK. THE BODY A SHINY ALMOST VELVET **BROWN** RUNNING WITH POWER, GRACE AND STEADINESS. THE WIND RUSHING TO MEET WITH FORCE. GALLOPING THROUGH THE LONG TALL REEDS. SPLASHING ALMOST PLAYFULLY IN THE WATER. SPRAYING ON MY BOOTS. THEN I REALIZED WHAT A MAGNIFICENT CREATURE!

GILLIAN KIRKHAM 5P

### Prowling through his fields, Lord of the Land, he is His mane-his crownn,

His mane-his crownn,
His eyes-a terror to gaze on
His teeth are swords.

As he turns,
An antelope grazes near,
He stalks it,
And brings it down.
He roars,
A loud, terrifying roar,
That makes echoes over the land.

As the king
He never goes hungry,
Taking food from others,
Just by showing his proud, muscular
body.
sleeping in peace,
All but invincible,
He is the lion,
Lord of the Land

Jennifer Blumberg 5P





#### A Sundae In May

A sundae in May Is wonderful I say, A sundae on a hot day. A sundae in December Is not one to remember, For something hot, is a better idea.

A sundae is, as you will see, A wonderfully tasty thing If it's strawberry or butterscotch, Maple or cherry It tastes delicious, all the same

Ariane Vincent 5J

### JUNIOR SCHOOL MUSIC

### **STRINGS**

The string orchestra musicians at the Junior School learned new skills and performed with enthusiasm on serval occasions this year. Grade 4 strings learned their basic skills in the fall, and subsequently performed in school assemblies and at the Arts Festival. The Grade 5 class journeyed with their instruments in 2nd term to Middle School and performed in a chapel service. At the end of the third term their visit was to the Senior School where they experienced a string class with the Grade 10 students. That was fun! The cross grade orchestra played in December at the Monterey Centre, at the Carol Service and in the final presentation at Speech Day. It was a fine year of strong ensemble playing and we were happy to introduce our new school director to the sound of music making.

Mrs. M. F. Smith











O R A L

During the Christmas season the Grade 5 and 12 choirs and Grade 5 strings performed at the Monterey Senior's Centre for their annual December tea. This has been quite a tradition, and the date has already been set for the next gathering. The SMUS Christmas Bazaar started off with festive singing of carols from the Grade 4, 5, and 12 choirs, and the term ended with all Grades K-5 participating in the Junior School Carol Service.

In February during the mid term break, members of the Grade 4/5 choir were invited to perform at a Memorial Service in the Lt. Governor General's House, and in March, the Grades 4/5 choirs joined in a massed choral celebration with the Grade 9, 10, 11, 12, and Alumni Choirs in the old gym at the Senior School.

On May 14th, the Grade 3 class joined forces with the Grades 4 and 5, and performed several choral selections, as well as playing recorders. This concert also included all the strings players.

The final presentation of the year was at Prize Day, which took place in the Royal Theatre.

It has been a pleasure working with this year's Grade 5 class, and I hope they will continue to sing on their journey through the Middle and Senior School.

Mrs. Mary Humphreys







Rice Honeywell, grade 3

#### Wonderful Spring

The golden sun casts rays of yellow Upon our wonderful world And all the animals that share Earth With all considerate folk, Newborn animals chirp and bleat, To peck and graze from day to day, For us to look at Mother Nature's Radiant bouquet of countless colours Flowing to meet the sea of sky. In the distance the clouds flushed, A joyous pink from the departing of The weary sun. Soon the stars will set out To help the moon to lead the way.

Evan Morgan, Grade 4F

#### A Mouth Watering Pizza

Pizza
Mouth-Watering
Big and Round
To sink my teeth
I dream of you
Pepperoni, Cheese,
Peppers, Mushrooms,
Olives
Hard to resist
the sensation
of those taste buds
WOWI

Bria Wilson, Grade 5P

#### Snow

As I slowly blunder in the cold, dark forest, As the snow slowly drifts down from the sky, I am trying to find my way, I am trying to find my way home.

As the snow gets heavier, As a bright yellow, bird flashes by, I am trying to find my way home, I am trying to find my way home.

There is my house, I see it over there, The one with the windows, frosty and patterned, I have found my way home, I have found my way home.

Julie Ehrmantraut, Grade 4D

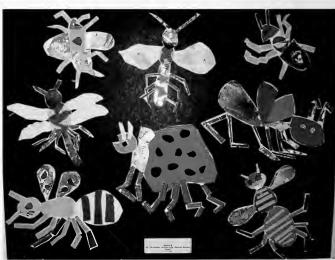
#### The French Board Walk

The early morning touch of sun,
Rose over the town and then began,
To sprinkle its light over the sea,
Which brought out the warmth like in a cup of tea.

I edged toward the old grey dock, To see if maybe the winds could talk, They spoke in a very gentle voice, "We give a small breeze or gusts *your* choice!"

I saw a mademoiselle in a fancy dress, Which I envied for my dress was less, She walked her normal walk with style, Which I tried to learn for quite a while.

Farrah Merali, Grade 5J



Bugs by Kindergarten Class



Graeme McCrodan, Grade 4D

#### The Horse

Wild and free A long golden streak He flies away running on air over the A speck of gold on the horizon

Running right in the path of danger Never caught, always running On long, strong legs Hunters catching nothing But a strand of a long golden tail

Christina Moseley, Grade 5J



Jennifer Blumberg, Grade 5P

#### Moon

The moon is standing In the sky Like an ornament On a pine tree

Anne Penner, Grade 2



Taylor McKinnon, Grade 3

The Poppy The Poppy I am a poppy I grow around the graves I am both happy and sad When I am happy I take care of the people who died When I am sad I remind you of them I, the poppy will be here forever I will remind you to think of the people that helped the families grow.

I am the poppy I twist and turn around the graves With my bright red petals people see me They stop to think "Thank you very much"

I am the poppy I am the symbol of war and peace People wear me on Remembrance Day

I am the poppy I have seen everything I was lying around a grave when it happened I have seen the happiness of the soldiers I have seen the hurt souls of the soldiers It was my job to take care of the graves

I have tried to make war stop .... But what can I do? I am only a flower

Taryn Bodrug, Grade 4F

#### The Poppies

The poppies in Flanders Fields blow. The men who died lie below the crosses row by row. These mark the places of the men who lost their lives Their lives were cut by a knife. They fought to set us free They see us above When they hand us the torch.

Stephen Dong, Grade 2





## A Magical Journey



















Dinner at Giverny













1996-97 has undoubtedly been one of the most successful years for sporting achievement. In the Fall Term our Cross Country runners won four championships. A team of 60 runners participated in the seven races and showed great determination in tackling the rigors of this sport.

The Grade 5 Boy's and Girl's Soccer teams completed their seasons undefeated. The Boys played 10 games, won 9, drew 1. The highlight of the season was victory at the ISA tournament defeating perennial powerhouse St. George's 2-1 ( goals by Brad Booth & Nik Purcell ). The girl's won all seven of their games.

The Basketball season was again incredibly successful. The Grade 5 Boys were undefeated and won the ISA Championship. The highlight of the season was the Tournament held at our Senior School. Students from Grades 4 & 5 played 64 games in 3 1/2 hours- and a great time was had by all!

Our Swimmers showed great dedication in attending early morning practises. We had a team of 35 swimmers compete in the Victoria All School Championships and secured a 3rd place finish. The Summer Term saw the Junior School again host a series of track meets. Participation rates were very high with most students from Grades 2-5 running. The ISA & VISAA championships produced 4th place finishes against strong competition.



Gary Barber

### **CROSS COUNTRY**



### **GRADE 5 BASKETBALL ISA CHAMPS**



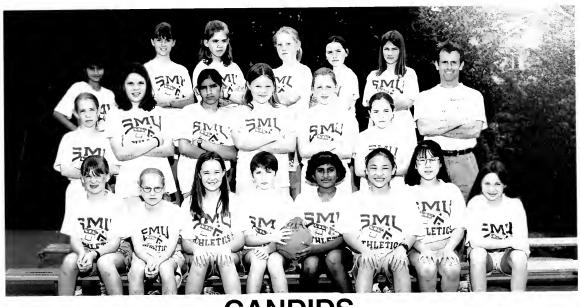
### **GRADE 5 SOCCER**



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### **GRADE 5 BASKETBALL**

























### **ACADEMIC AWARDS**



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GRADE III		GRADE V J	
Daniel Christensen	2nd in Form	Ian Broome	Outstanding Effort in Strings
Laura Faryna	1st in Form	Michelle Gow	Honour Roll
		Matthew Hill	Honour Roll
GRADE IV D		Jaimie Lee	Honour Roll
Nicholas Csomany	1st in Computers	Jory MacKay	Honour Roll
Melissa Ko	Most Improved in Strings	Huf McIntyre	Honour Roll
Michael Loomer	Outstanding Effort in Choral	Farrah Merali	Honour Roll
Sydney Plavins	Distinction in Choral	Christina Moseley	Honour Roll
Janel Willms	Honour Roll	Nicholas Hargrove	Honour Roll Outstanding Effort in Art
Evan Hesketh	Honour Roll Distinction in Strings	Meredith Lewis	Honour Roll 1st in Social Studies
Daniel McIlvaney	Distinction in Art	Deanna Singh	Honour Roll Distinction in French
Tisah Tucknott	1st in Science Honour Roll	Andrew Van der Westhuizen	
Graeme McCrodan	1st in Japanese - 4-1 Honour Roll 1st in French	Jeffrey Mitchelmore	Honour Roll 1st in Computers 2nd in Form
	2nd in Form Distinction in Mathematics	Samantha Saravana-Bawan	Honour Roll 1st in Japanese - 5-1 1st in Science
Jeremy Hanson-Finger	Honour Roll	Ariane Vincent	Honour Roll

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		GRADE V P	1st in Form	
		Alec Harper	Honour Roll	
GRADE IV F		John McIntosh	Outstanding Effort in Choral	
Liam Flannigan	1st in Science	Shannon Waters	Honour Roll	
Evan Morgan	Distinction in Art	Bria Wilson	Distinction in Choral	
	Honour Roll	Shannon Ko	Distinction in Strings	
Andrew Sharp	1st in Computers		1st in Japanese - 5-2	
Sean Smith	Honour Roll	Mathis Rogner	Honour Roll 1st in Mathematics	
Navraj Chima Honour Roll 1st in Social Studies	Mark Zakus	Honour Roll 1st in Computers		
Marisa Brook	Honour Roll Equal 1st in English	Brittany Crow	Honour Roll Distinction in Science 2nd in Form	
	1st in Mathematics	Robyn Plasterer	Honour Roll	

Distinction in Art Distinction in Social Studies Diana Izard Honour Roll Distinction in Art Honour Roll 1st in French 1st in Social Studies 1st in Science 1st in English 1st in Form Jennifer Blumberg 1st in French Equal 1st in English 1st in Form 1st in Japanese - 4-2



### **SPECIAL AWARDS**



PARENTS' AUXILIARY AWARDS FOR STUDENTS WHO WERE FIRST OVERALL IN THEIR GRADE

GRADE 5 GRADE 4 JENNIFER BLUMBERG
JEREMY HANSON-FINGER

MOST IMPROVED ATHLETE

IAN BROOME / MATTHEW HILL

OUTSTANDING ATHLETE (BOY)

JEFFREY MITCHELMORE / MARK ZAKUS

OUTSTANDING ATHLETE (GIRL)

BRIA WILSON

McALPINE AWARD (ATHLETIC EFFORT)

JUSTIN POMMERVILLE

ARTISTIC MERIT AWARD (OVERALL ART, MUSIC EXCELLENCE & DRAMA)

DEANNA SINGH

MILNE CUP (GREATEST ACADEMIC PROGRESS

BRENDAN INGLIS

FOR THE YEAR)

IAN BROOME

THE SLEGG BOWL IS AN ACADEMIC AWARD TO RECOGNIZE DILIGENCE AND ACHIEVEMENT. (NOT ON HONOUR ROLL)

CHRISTINA MOSELEY

NED SYMONS' AWARD (STUDENT WHO EXEM-PLIFIES THE DILIGENT STUDENT, KIND, AND HAS A HEALTHY RESPECT FOR OTHERS)

JAIMIE LEE

M.A.W.BRIDGMAN MEMORIAL AWARD (STUDENT IN ANY GRADE WITH A GOOD ACADEMIC STANDING WHO HAS DEMONSTRATED

A KEEN CREATIVE, ARTISTIC ABILITY)

INOUYE CUP (AWARDED TO A PRIMARY
STUDENT WHO IS DUI ICENT A JOYEU)

JASMINE BAINS

STUDENT WHO IS DILIGENT, A JOYFUL PARTICIPANT AND A CARING CITIZEN)

JANEL WILLMS

GAYE STONE CUP (FOR A STUDENT IN GRADE 4 WHO SHOWS THE DETERMINATION TO SUCCEED WITH CHEERFULNESS AND GRACE)

CITIZENSHIP CUP (STUDENT WHO PROVIDES AN EXCELLENT ROLE MODEL FOR THE OTHER STUDENTS)

GILLIAN KIRKHAM

LIFER'S AWARD (STUDENT WHO CAME TO SMU IN GR. 1. GOOD CITIZEN, ALWAYS LOYAL, TRIED HARD) JESSICA MOLL/LAURA SAUNDERS

KYRLE W. SYMONS CUP (EXCELLENT CHARACTER/GOOD ACADEMIC STANDING)

JEFFREY MITCHELMORE

ALUMNI ASSOCIATION (EDITH SYMONS) (OUTSTANDING ACADEMIC PERFORMANCE. PARTICIPATES ACTIVELY IN ATHLETICS. AN ALL-ROUND STUDENT. EXEMPLARY CHARACTER) ARIANE VINCENT

KYRLE C. SYMONS MERIT SHIELD (STUDENT WHO EXEMPLIFIES GOOD ACADEMIC STANDING, SPORTS ABILITY AND CITIZENSHIP SKILLS)

MEREDITH LEWIS







# Middle School Director's Foreword

At the start of this school year the Headmaster produced the school's educational philosophy document which has given St. Michaels University School a clear direction and vision. The paper emphasizes a commitment to excellence and to the development of the whole child as well as providing a framework for a sound education.

But what does it mean to be educated? We often think in terms of academics, the arts and athletics and we work vigorously to improve skills in these areas. We reinforce positive values such as honesty and respect and strive to develop a sense of community. All these components are essential if we are to provide an excellent education for our students.

But how has St. Michaels University School achieved such great success as an educational institution? I believe it is the understanding that the process of learning is as important as the product and that developing a love of learning is the true purpose of education. As Leonardo Da Vinci so aptly stated - "Just as eating against one's will is injurious to health, so study without a liking for it spoils the memory and it retains nothing it takes in."

The faculty at St. Michaels University School recognizes various learning styles and abilities and actively involves the students in education. It concentrates on the development of higher level thinking skills: skills of analysis, synthesis and evaluation and strives to produce problem solvers and creative thinkers while reinforcing basic skills to ensure a strong foundation of knowledge. The staff shares a great appreciation of the Arts with the students and introduces "the finer things in life" in a stimulating fashion. All children are encouraged to open their minds to appreciate various artistic and musical experiences. Physical Education is a source of great pleasure for many students and opportunities are provided for both competitive and recreational pursuits. Enjoyment of sport and character development become significant objectives and contribute to personal satisfaction.

St. Michaels University School is proud to produce students who are able to meet the challenges of university and who are able to select stimulating careers in a highly competitive world. However, the school is even more proud to produce students who exhibit a love of learning and who seek new opportunities in which their knowledge and experiences are broadened.

Our reputation as a fine educational institution continues to flourish and 1996\97 has been a successful school year. Academically, a high proportion of the students has excelled, with the grade 8 mathematics team finishing third in the Canadian National Mathematics League and the grade 6 team, sixteenth, in competitions with over 600 schools. Our Commonwealth Essay writers dominated the Vancouver Island Division presentations, accumulating sixteen awards, including a second and third place finish in B.C. All grade 7 were introduced to Writers in Electronic Residence based at York University and the programme allowed the children to e-mail their writing to professionals who responded with constructive comments. We will continue this activity next year with just a few refinements.

Thanks to the English department and other members of staff, every child in the school was afforded the opportunity to participate in recitation, public speaking, and debating competitions. The most skilled performers were invited to share their talents in front of the entire school. This was a fine beginning to what we hope will become a Middle School tradition.

Eight of our young artists won awards in an international competition in China, including a gold, a silver and two bronze medals. Another six students will have their creations displayed in the Crayola travelling exhibition occurring later this year — only eighty works were chosen from across North America, and a grade 8 student placed first in the local Canadian Cancer Society painting competition. In addition to individual achievements, two outstanding art exhibitions were organized and each contained works of brilliance.

The musicians, as usual, displayed a great deal of professionalism and an equal amount of enthusiasm. Numerous concerts were performed and each one in its own way was a masterpiece. What a joy it is to see our students develop during their time at our school and how often we see audiences shake their heads in amazement when they are fortunate enough to be present at a performance.

The Outdoor Programme is gaining in diversity and besides its usual challenging components, its academic content has many exciting prospects for next year. In the winter term, a rock climbing course was offered to many of our students and the response was overwhelmingly enthusiastic. We will be pursuing other outdoor education opportunities in the coming year as part of the P.E. programme.

Once again the Middle School ran over twenty athletic teams and a large proportion of the school population was able to experience the joy of victory or the agony of defeat. Our Girls' Under 15 Soccer Team travelled to Montreal and successfully defended our Canadian Independent Schools' title. The team for next year is already practising and is hoping to claim its third consecutive national championship in Halifax during the first week of October. The Boys' Under 13 Soccer Team performed well in the national championship in Ottawa this year, but was unable to master atrocious weather conditions. However, the marvellous cultural experience was appreciated by all.

The grade 8 rugby team had an exceptional season, winning all but one of its matches and securing the B.C. Independent Schools Championship. A highlight of the season was a thrilling 'come from behind' victory over a team from Swansea, Wales. Our players have the potential to become a real force in the Senior School and to uphold the fine traditions we have in this sport. The Girls' Grade 8 Basketball Team also had a wonderful season; despite being a small squad, it managed to get through a few rounds of the city play-offs. Similarly, the boys' team achieved much success against all of the odds.

Cross country, badminton, field hockey, swimming, track and field were all competitive sports and much potential was shown. Many thanks to all of the dedicated and hard working coaches whose efforts in the trenches forged many of the best teacher/student relationships.

Finally, a word to our grade 8 graduating class. It is now time for you to move on to the Senior School. The Middle School faculty are confident that you are ready to meet the challenge and to emerge as outstanding students, as well as fine young men and women. On your behalf, I would like to thank the teachers for the dedication they have shown to you all. We will follow your careers with great interest and hope that you will visit as often as possible. It has, indeed, been a privilege having you at the Middle School. Good

# Middle School Staff



B.R: E. Larsen, N. Mollenhauer, E. Jones, D. Pollock, L. Van Alstine, G. Floyd, D. Manson-Blair, A. Strauss, P. Richards, M. Morican, L. Ross, J. Reid, J. De Goede.

F.R: Y. Guthrie, J. Goodwin, M. Walsh, C. Yorath (Director), C. Booth, J. Williams, S. Alford, S. Biden. (missing: H. Thatcher, M. Smith, J. Walinga)

# Student Council



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Alford (Grade 6) Jaimie Boyd Kevin Burkett Stephen Csomany Elsa Hume

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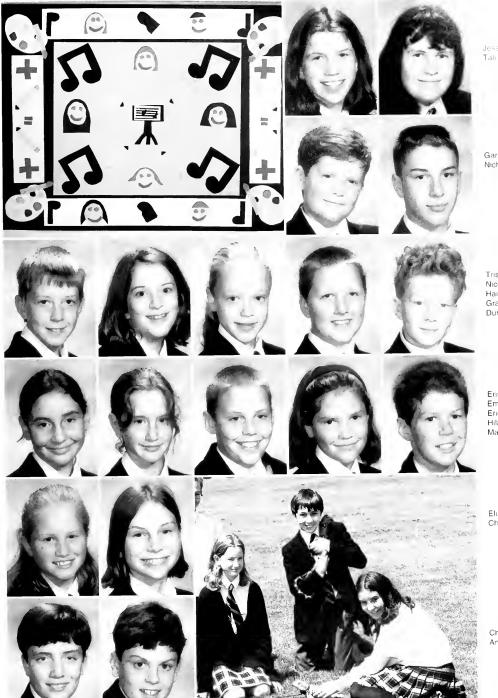


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Chad Travis Andrew Wilson



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Javier - T. Caitlin B. F.

Sean Bell Justin Binab

Florencia Bonet Christopher Chapheau Peter Churcher Elspeth Finlay Hilary Gibson-Wood

Emily Gregson Brent Hemsworth Geoffrey Martin Graham McIntyre Karlie O'Connor

Andrew Orr Katherine Schaan Mycroft Schwartz

Conal Shepherd Tristan Spearing Robert Stevulak



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Gavin Lawrence Avalon McLean Max Nevill









Kristen Vernon Matthew Woodland

De Goede (Grade 8)

Patrick Bourke Sascha Braunig Andrew Brownlee

Kenneth Cheng Taylor Crawford Heather Ellis-Thicke



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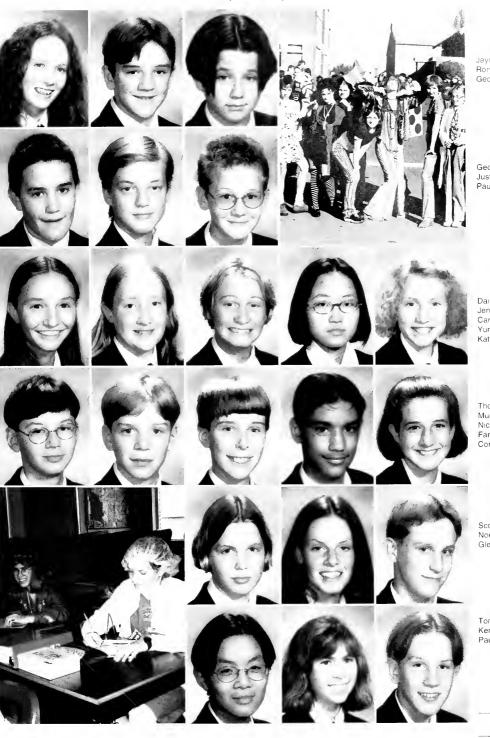








## Morican (Grade 8)



Jayne Biagai 1 Rory Connaily Geoffrey Dunlop

Geoff Homer Justin Hume Paul Karchut

Daisy Klaibert Jennifer Langwith Cameron Lee Yun-Ji Lee Kate Louman-Gardiner

Thomas McCarten Murray McCulloch Nicholas Melling Farhad Merali Corrina Mick

Scott Mitchell Noelle Quin Glen Roberts

Tony Su Kendra Tombu Paul Zakus

## Manson-Blair (Grade 8)

Keely Bays Amar Chadha Kate Charlton

Zevi Cherniawsky Christine Chou Amy Fellenz



Alain Haddad Philip Joergensen Marie LaFreniere Andrew Lampard Stephen Lee

Matthew Lemay Keegan MacIntosh Ryan Mogensen Andrew Moll Sebastian Ritter

Gregory Smith Cameron Soderberg Daisuke Yukawa



## Goodwin (Grade 8)



Maximum Bradley Bradley Bradley Matthew Celuszak Katherine Cheung

Chester Cotter Graham Day Lianne English Wilson Hong Vicki Hsieh

Stuart Masterton Frances McBride Scott McBride Caitlin McKenzie Christopher Naismith

Kate Paulson Paul Saunders

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Grade One visits
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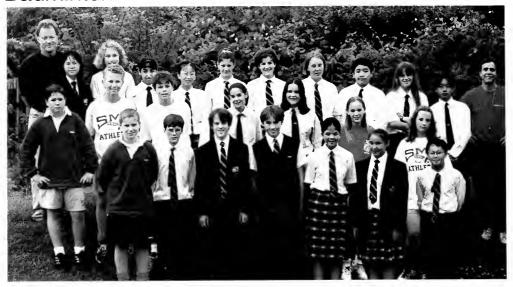


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Brent Hemsworth

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# **Badminton**



B.R: Mr. Alford, C. Chou, K. Louman-Gardiner, T. Korki, V. Hsieh, C. McKenzie, C. Mick, D. Hughes, K. Cheng, C. Richardson, K. Tao, Mr. Floyd M.R. R. Stevulak, T. Swift, M. Pyke, F. Bonet, K. Schaan, S. Moseley, K. Forbes F.R: N. Black, A. Orr, A. Richardson, T. Matsumura, M. Lai, A. Miller, W. Lee.

The badminton season was quite short this term as it was sandwiched between a long spring break and track. The turnout for both the grade 6/7 ISA team and the grade 8 team was extremely good, and it was a real pleasure for the coaches, Mr. Alford and Mr. Floyd, to see so many students interested in participating. After a brief set of practices, members of the 6/7 team travelled to St. Patrick's School for some additional competition. A group of grade 8's joined up with members of the senior school team, coached by Mr. Peter Gardiner, for training sessions with Anil Kaul, a local coach and member of Canada's Olympic Badminton team. These students showed significant improvements in their level of skill and game strategy. The tournament week (ISA and Victoria City Junior Secondary) took place at the end of April and the first week of May. Both the ISA and the Gr. 8 teams acquitted themselves well, with wins and places in almost all categories entered.

## Track & Field







BR: Mr Williams, L. English, K. Challer, C. Smith, N. Quin, D. Hughes FR: C. Richardson, K. Tombu, K. Paulsin, C. McKenzie, C. Mick, F. McBride, Missing H. Ellis-Thicke)

The girls' volleyball team had a gruelling schedule of 32 games over the course of 6 weeks. Though we had a bit of a slow start, the team started working together and combining on some spectacular plays late in the season. By the end of our round-robin regular games, we had accumulated a respectable 11 wins against some very strong opposition. Congratulations, and many thanks for a well-played season, ladies!

### Grade 6/7



B.R: K. Tyrrell, E. MacIver, K. O'Connor, S. Moseley, Ms. Van Alstine, K. Forbes, J. Wynn, M. Crawford, F. Bonet, E. Gregson, N. Harper, K. Jones, K. Vernon, A. McLean, L. Reid,

M.R.: M. Lai, E. Finlay, C. Bailey, D. Parton, E. Mitchell-Katz, E. Naismith, K. Schaan, N. Grant, J. Frisby, H. Gibson-Wood. F.R.: H. Holberg, A. Miller, C. Tirling, H. Punnett, M. Margolus, L. Williams, E. Saunders, J. Bodrug.

We had a tremendous turnout with close to 30 girls eager to play volleyball. We were fortunate to have balls for everyone, and practice sessions focused on skill development and an introduction to the game. Unfortunately the league play for this age group is very limited, and so we had very few weekly games. The grade 7 girls were given priority in the league, and in most cases two teams were able to play. A tournament in Vancouver and the final league tournament provided many opportunities for all girls to play and experience the emotions of competition. The girls' skills improved over the season and much fun was had by all.

## U-13 Soccer -1996



BR: Mr. Jones, M. Woodland, M.Lemay, Mr.Pollock. MR: M. Quinlan, J. Smith, C. Adair, F. Lee, M. Pyke, P. Churcher F.R: N. Black, J. Binab, A. Orr, E. Holtham, G. Martin, C. Chapheau, S. Bell.

Bright and early one late October morning, the boys U-13 soccer team, accompanied by coaches Mr. Evan Jones, Mr. Don Pollock, and parent, Mr. Steve Martin, left Victoria for the Canadian Independent Schools Invitational Soccer Tournament, hosted this year by Ashbury College in Ottawa. Having just clinched the VISAA elementary soccer championship with an undefeated season and having earned a 3-3 tie with a talented team from Hazelwood School, England, the SMUS boys were primed for an exciting week of touring and soccer in Eastern Canada.

During the course of the week long stay, the team visited Toronto where they were billeted by St. Andrews College in Aurora, Ontario. Highlights were, most definitely, going up the CN tower, watching the Toronto Raptors practice at the Skydome while we ate lunch at the Hard Rock Cafe, and, of course, a tour of the Hockey Hall of Fame. After a four hour train ride to Ottawa, the boys met their billets at Ashbury and Fraser Lee, one of two Grade VI boys on the team, courageously volunteered to stay with an Ashbury family on his own. (All other boys were billeted in pairs or triples!) The next day was a busy one indeed! The sights of Old Town Ottawa, a tour of the Parliament buildings (including a meeting with Victoria MP David Anderson) and a visit to the Heart Institute were the highlights of a busy day!

Although SMUS won one, lost one, and tied one game on opening day, the boys managed to reorganize and revitalize to go undefeated on the second day winning all three games. On Saturday, the team lost a close 2-1 decision to St. Andrews College and finished the tour with a 4-2-1 record.

All in all, the season proved to be a most successful one. Leadership was well provided by captains Matt Lemay and Mike Pyke and both Justin Binab and Matt Woodland were recognized for their outstanding performances at the tournament. The greatest success, however, came with the dignified, mature manner in which they represented our school.



Outside the Parliament buildings: Future Members of Parliament from St. Michaels!

### Grade 6/7 Boys



B.R.: R. Wong-Mui, N. Faryna, T. Swift, B. Gregson, O. Parrott. M.R.: J. Campbell, K. Burkett, R. So, F. Lee, N. Beswick F.R.: Z. Smith, S. Jones, D. Burnett, A. Pooni.

We had an enthusiastic group of grade 6 and 7 students this season. Practices were held twice a week and good weather resulted in some good games. The team was strengthened by four members of the U-13 squad when they returned from Ontario. After the league games we hosted the ISA Tournament on Oct. 17th. It was a 5-day tournament and the team was successful in the morning. Unfortunately strong winds forced cancellation after lunch.

## Under 15 Girls Soccer

On Tuesday, October 1st, fifteen excited soccer players from grades 7-9 and two Middle School teachers set off for Montreal to take part in the Canadian Independent Schools Junior Soccer Tournament, which was to be hosted by five private schools in Montreal. We hired a bus for the morning, which enabled us to view; albeit briefly, some of the notable

and historic sites of the city: I'Oratoire St. Joseph, Mount Royal, McGill University. A guided tour of the Centre Molson, the new home of the Montreal Canadians, was next on the itinerary, and to our surprise and delight the team came out to practise while we were there. Lunch at a French restaurant was followed by a guided tour of "Vieux Montreal" where we were fascinated to discover the history and to step back in time: quaint cobbled streets, centuries-old stonebuildings, the beautiful Basilica and the chapel Bons-Secours.

Thursday was the first day of the soccer tournament and fifteen SMUS girls had their hearts set on the unthinkable: winning back-to-back championships. A variety of weather conditions and playing their opening three games on a heavily used community field dampened their early enthusiasm. At the day's end, however, SMUS was undefeated having beaten Ambrae Academy, Sacred Heart School of Montreal and a very talented St. Mildred's Lightbourn School.

Day two of competition had the SMUS girls playing on Lower Canada College's playing fields and the weather being kinder. Victories over Hillfield-Strathallen, Centennial Academy, and Country Day School meant that we were through to the championship semi-finals and, as yet, undefeated.

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Saint John's Ravenscourt forced the SMUS girls to work hard but when the dust had settled, we were through to the finals with a 3-1 victory. We were not surprised to learn that our opponent would be St. Mildred's-Lightbourn. For forty minutes we looked to be in complete control and at one time held a 3 to 1 lead that vanished with ten minutes remaining and the score now 3 to 2. With only moments left to go in the contest, the referee awarded St. Mildred's-Lightbourn a penalty shot. The shot was well struck and true but Diana, our goalie, dove and stopped the ball on the goal line. As she stood up to volley the ball downfield, the referee blew the final whistle and, St. Michaels University School were again, CAIS Champions!

Jim de Goede Penny Richards







C. Richardson, J. Jennings, Mr. Alford (Coach), E. Jawl, K. Tyrell, F. Bonet, C. Somerset, K. Barry, J. Fairhurst, Mr. From left to right De Goede (Coach), N. Quin, S. Turner, C. McKenzie, C. Smith, S. Holberg, Mrs. Richards (Manager), D. Hughes

#### Grade 6/7 Girls



B.R: K Tyrrell, E. Hinz, A. McLean, J. Wynn, K. Jones, M. Crawford, K. Schaan, E. McIver M.R. D. Parton, K. Vernon, E. Finlay, F. Bonet, C. Bailey, K. O'Connnor, F.R. M. Lai, L. Williams, A. Lobb, M. Margolus, E. Hume.

This year's season was short, busy and successful. The regular season play with the other Victoria independent schools proved to be our best opportunities for the development of a team strategy and familiarization with the fundamentals of the game. We attempted to provide everyone with exposure to a variety of positions in game situations and worked on skill development and fitness. The girls responded extremely well and although our win/loss record was fairly even, it was clear that the team was coming together as a unit. In the final tournament the girls went undefeated through to the final championship game in which they played a team that had dominated regular season play. Both teams played superbly and SMUS managed to score a goal and hold a powerful opponent to two. Congratulations to the many girls who contributed to the year's success! S. Alford (coach)











Grade 8 Rug



BR: Mr Jones, B Broder, A Moll, P Bourke, A Haddad, A Brownlee, T McCarten, G Roberts, M Lemay, Mr, Manson-Blair, G Homer, M Shortt

MR S Masterton, P Joergenson, S Mitchelmore, R Connolly, M Spicer, J McCallum, Wayne Lau, G Smith Grade 7

FR K Cheng, C Naismith, A Chadha, C Lee, N Hincks, C Soderberg



B.R.: M. Brownlee, M. Pyke, T. Swift, J. Smith, M. Nevill, S. Tucknott, P. Bjornert, B. Bull, P. Churcher, Mr. De Goede F.R.: N. Black, R. Liu, C. Chapheau, T. Spearing, S. Bell, G. Martin, R. Stevulak, B. Hemsworth, J. Ko.

Despite a very short season, this group of students developed basic skills and an understanding of the game quite quickly. Our season consisted of a half dozen practices, two exhibition matches with GNS and culminated with the ISA tournament in Vancouver. We lost our two matches with GNS but they provided us with invaluable experience that we used to great advantage in Vancouver where we played exceptionally well. In the ISA tournament every player played in every game to maximize their learning and in the finals we lost to a very talented St. George's team. Our boys have now laid the foundation for next year's Warriors.





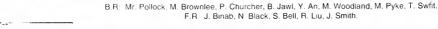
B.R. Mr. de Goede, H. Mabee, T. Killins, N. Faryna, T. Matsumura, C.Travis, B. Gregson, M. Quinlan, A. Pooni. F.R. W. Lee, K. Burkett, O. Parrott, F. Lee, R. So, Z. Smith, R. Wong-Mui, S. Csomany.

This year's team consisted of sixteen enthusiastic boys who played several games locally, went to Vancouver and were in two tournaments. All players were guaranteed at least one quarter of play in every game and we had a most enjoyable season. Our final tournament at PCS was where we played best. We won four out of five games and lost the one game by a single point. This team should provide the school with fine prospects for next year when they reach grade seven and, best of all, they were fine representatives of their school.

J. de Goede

## Grade 7 Boys





#### Grade 7 Girls



B.R. E. Finlay, K. Jones, M. Crawford, E. Gregson, J. Wynn, K. O'Connor, F.R. N. Harper, C. Bailey, E. MacIver, J. Frisby, H. Gibson-Wood

The Grade 7 basketball team learned a lot in a very short season and had a good time in the process. Helped along by Jo Nash, the girls improved significantly and finished the season with a third place result in the VISAA tourney with GNS after an exciting final consolation game which ended in a tie at the buzzer. Congratulations to all those girls who played this year.

#### Grade 6 Girls



B.R: Mr. Yorath, C. Tirling, A. Miller, E. Langwith, M. Lai, M. Palmer, D. Parton, E. Saunders. F.R: A. Lobb, N. Grant, H. Holberg, A. Quan, E. Tombu, H. Punnett.



### Grade 8 Boys



B.R. P. Zakus, J. McCallum, A. Brownlee, P. Bourke, P. Joergensen, S. Mitchelmore, F. Merali, Mr. Jones. F.R. W. Lau, B. Broder, K. Cheng, K. Yiu Tao, R. Connolly, M. Spicer, G. Homer

#### Grade 8 Girls



B.R: C. Richardson, C. Smith, D. Klaibert, V. Hsieh F.R: A. Hunter, D. Hughes, C. McKenzie, N. Quin, C. Mick, Mrs. Mick.

We started off the year with 8 girls who had never played together before. Through hard work and commitment the girls gelled early into a highly competitive unit. Rising above expectations, the team charged onto the city playoffs where they played with heart and determination. It was an extremely successful season, and I am proud of the high level of skill each team member achieved.



# **Swimming**

Our swim team enjoyed its usual success at the pool again this year with some excellent results at the VISAA, ISA, and elementary school meets. Once again our early morning practices proved fruitful with approximately 35 swimmers taking part on a regular basis. Thanks to all those involved for your commitment to the early mornings and your effort.

# X-Country

Unglamourous...true; mucky...true; hard work...definitely; personal bests...absolutely. That pretty much sums up the grade 8 cross-country season this year. Great commitment from a small, but talented group of grade 6/7 and 8 students who trained on a regular basis and slogged it out through some of the toughest courses during some of the ugliest weather we have experienced. Congratulations to all those who took part. It was a great year.

# Field Hockey



B.R: Mrs. Mollenhauer, J. Campbell, C. Adair, E. Hinz, N. Grant, D. Parton, L. Williams, E. Naismith, J. Bodrug, N. Beswick, F. Lee. B.R: R. So, S. Jones, E. Holtham, K. Spearing, E. Mitchell-Katz, J. Boyd, D. Burnett. F.R: E. Hume, H. Holberg, H. Punnett, A. Lobb, E. Saunders, M. Margolus.

The spring field hockey season is short and sweet, but we had a very enthusiastic group of girls and boys play over a 5-week period. The team played great and improved a tremendous amount. We had our fair share in the win/loss column and wound up the season with a great afternoon of games at Lansdowne. The number of teams in the league continues to grow, therefore, the level of play is rapidly improving which is very exciting. Thanks to all those athletes who came out and played for the squad.





# Grade 7 Outdoor Trip









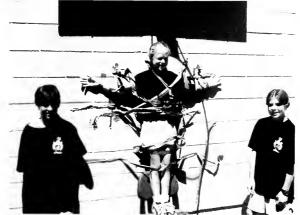


# Colours Day









# Candids

















Snow

By: Paul Zakus

#### Rainforest

A place where you hear the pitter the patter crashing splashing Mud is one thing that it makes Trees are also what it makes

Massive
Huge
and Strong
It makes other things
thousands more
Its list is endless
Debt for more
Overall I'll tell you what
life grows most in
The Rainforest

By: Alex Nicholls

A force that falls softly quicky curiously a magician who makes white balls falling floating like a feather swirling in the wind like a galaxy of crystals freed from the darkness a wild horse running this way and that until its energy is all spent and

everywhere is silent



By: Erin Langwith



By: Maureen Palmer



By: Kendra Tombu

#### The Terrible Snow

When you look left right high and low All you can see is this terrible snow The people of Victoria have seen many changes

But you can't ignore the cold look on their faces

The men are angry the ladies wail Probably cause they missed the Boxing Day Sale

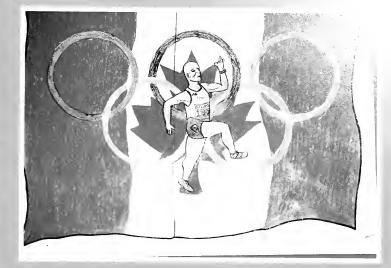
All the kids think that the snow is cool "Who knows?" they all thought -" there may not be any school!"

If you go outside, you would likely fall Even worse you couldn't even go to the mall

The mall owner told everyone that he chose

That all the stores would have to close It's easy to say and easy to show That most of Victoria really hates snow!

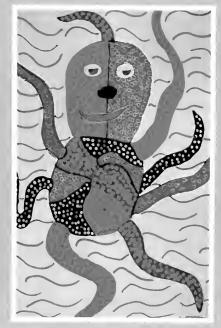
By: Farhad Merali



By: Corrina Mick



By: Jayne Bidgood



By: Kerry Spearing



#### The Ballad of the Snowball Fight

My brother and I were out in the snow, We were laughing and smiling, our eyes all aglow. The thermometer's reading had dropped down to low, And I looked on brave at my brotherly foe.

Before I could think, a snowball was zooming Straight at my face at incredible pace. I raised up my hand with its burden of snow -- I aimed at my rival and I let it go.

My brother struck back with a rocky ice ball: The force of the sphere, it drove me to fall. I felt myself crash down innumerable mountains, And drown in the ice of half-frozen fountains.

The pain of the shock throbbed through my head And it lingered like hot molten lead. When I opened my eyes I was in bright sunlight, Maybe I'd dreamed the snowball fight. . .

By: Jaimie Boyd



By: Andrew Brownlee



By: Wayne Lau

#### Volcano

An eruption of Roaring red hot lava The smoke pours out filling the air with blackness Splashing rivers pouring out of a once Solid summit Then it stops abruptly when the smoke clears you could have never guessed that it was once a lava fountain

By: Tristan Gething





By: Corrina Mick

#### Under the Water

Under the water, the deep blue sea the deep dark black is surrounding me As I look to my left... What a glorious sight The Titanic stares up at me with all of its might

It's so boring down here, its been so long
They said I'd never sink, I guess they were wrong
I see a human, oh, how I let them down
That stupid iceburg made me drown

I have only seven legs, and I should have eight for the human that hurt me, I shall patiently wait When I see him shiver, I have fear and hate I know the next time I see him I will reach my fate

> The human in the Titanic The octopus in panic The ship is now a battle ground The seven legs, await the round

They go forth into war
While the fear of death, knocks on each door
Two arms meet with seven
Now they both are in heaven

By: Joanna Wynn

#### Cloud

Fluffy and soft like a white bunny.
Moving quickly
Sometimes slowly
They seem to huddle together for warmth
The tail is big and puffy,
They never ever make a sound.
I wonder where they go?

By: Erin Langwith

#### The Bear

The bear, the predator
He's so rare
It's hard to see him anywhere,
Because he's a bear,
His metal teeth tear the beef,
From his prey as they lay.

By: Fraser Lee



By: Carla Wollach





The old way of life,
Needing a
Belief.
Needing something after
Life.
Now, we call it their
Culture.
Now, it's dying,
going,
slowly disappearing.
For we need it
no longer.

By: Kendra Tombu

By: Katie Schaan

Alone

Bare footed in the sand
With the tide rushing through your toes
Footprint by footprint
You realize with a sudden start
Nothing's for you up ahead

No hugs Nor kisses No romantic rendez-vous left for you They were all taken for someone else Someone much better than you

You were too busy Too depressed, maybe tired Oh, look at the time! was your daily excuse You refused to search for him The one meant for you

When they followed you You turned your heel on them They weren't who you wanted You were saving your love for the true But he never came to you

Now you're all alone With nothing to do No places to go No people to meet Left all alone all by yourself.

Anon.

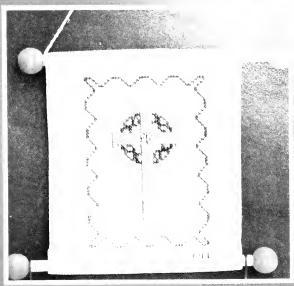


By: Amy Lobb





By: Paul Zakus



By: Matthew Celuszak

#### Haiku

weighed down roofs of white oh! what a wonderous sight! shining in the light.

Caitlin Bailey



By: Duncan Macrae

#### The Canoe

The white canoe
Glided
Under green branches
Sped
Past rocky gray shore
Swept
Through clear black water.

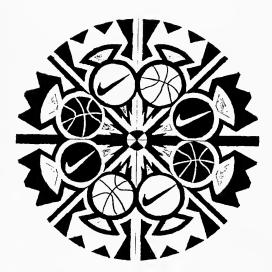
The storm is arising. It comes fast.
A torrent of words
Precedes
the thunder
Of the blows to
the wall,
Anything in the way
Of anger.

By: Kendra Tombu

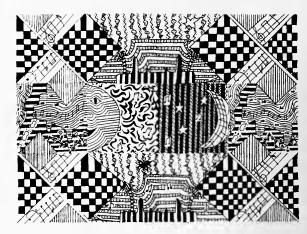




By: John Campbell



By: Yong An



By: Lianne English

Love is like the ocean
When you start out on the shore
You're too afraid to go in
Scared of what might happen
Scared of the unknown.

Start in tentatively Small baby steps at a time Let the wet sand squish between your toes And the water swirl around your ankles.

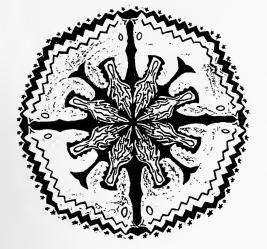
On some days
The ocean will feel deliciously cool
Others will feel the
Salty water sting their wounds.

The deeper you wade in The harder it is to swim Back to the warm security of the sands.

Sometimes you will drown in love Or maybe you will Lose yourself in it.

Love has tricks It also holds power Love is scary Love is you.

By: Christina Kim

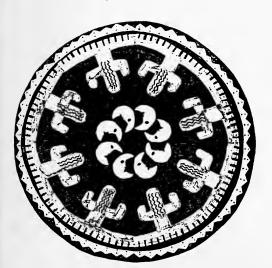


Bv: Meara Crawford

#### Volcano

A fiery torment, destructive as it is, the volcano bursting like a flower blooming the lava flowing like jam on ice cream.
A fiery torrent of smoke and ash. It's destructive power roaring across miles on end. Prepare for a shock prepare for a burst, you never know where it could end up next.

By: Sasha Izard



By: Hilary Gibson-Wood

#### The Conductor's Baton

The conductor painted the sky black, with clouds, with his baton

The waves lapped at his feet, with anger, with rage

Bolts of power fell from the sky, controlled by him, and his baton

The conductor's power went beyond, he was brewing a storm, or was a storm brewing?

By: Keegan Macintosh



By: Amy Fellenz

In the Park

If you have the chance, go take a walk in the park, close your eyes and just listen.

You'll hear the birds chirping, the river flowing and gushing, leaves fluttering to the ground, the soft breeze whistling, the sounds of heaven.

You really don't realize, how beautiful nature's sounds are, until you sit and listen.

By: Steven Mitchelmore





By: Sascha Braunig

#### Tornado

A whirling force that spins violently heartlessly A razor blade that shreds buildings apart black as a swirling dust cloud pursuing like a stampede of wild animals its black dark, transparentable freaky skin it may be soft but its very powerful!!

by William Lee

Cool nice refreshing
people are fishing
Where the fish swim all day
Where the dolphins like to play
Where I'm free to roam
Where I feel at home
Where the vastness surrounds
And life abounds
Where the fishes swim in swarms
And I feel nice and warm

By: Chris Adair



By: Maureen Palmer



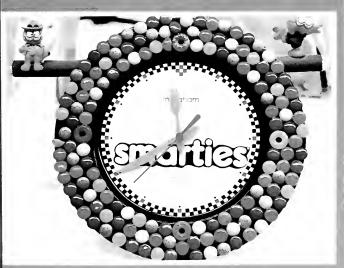


By: Erin Tombu

#### Undertow

Swimming too far from land Swirling water all around Sucking at my feet Down, under the water The white of the sky Mixing with the grey of the sand Peace from underneath.

By: Chris Naismith



By: Hilary Flanagan



### Middle School Orchestra



Middle School Music Report:

Our young musicians in Grades 6, 7 and 8 have had another busy but successful year with many happy memories to recall. Our annual concert was this year held at the University Centre in February and featured the entire student body of S.M.U. Middle School in bands, string ensembles, choir and orchestra with special items by the "Scottish" Fiddlers and the "Three Little Maids". A rendition of Saint Saens' Carnival of the Animals was part of the concert programme.

<u>Stage Band:</u> Performances by members of the Stage Band included the Parents' Auxiliary Christmas Bazaar, the Alumni Dinner Dance in May and a visit to the Junior School together with the Grade 8 Advanced Band. In November, they visited the University Centre to see Rob McConnell and the Boss Brass.

<u>Honour Band</u>: The Band is preparing for the Music Festival season and a performance in Chapel following the orientation meeting for Grade 5 students and their parents.

Concert Choir The Concert Choir boasted a membership of 97 students and performed at Chateau Victoria, Ocean Pointe Resort, the Carol Service and Prize Day at the Royal Theatre. Congratulations to all soloists who sang at these events.

<u>Theatre Visits:</u> Our theatre visits this year included productions by both the Pacific Opera and the Victoria Operatic Society, and to round of the year a visit has been arranged to see the "Phantom of the Opera" in Vancouver.

String Ensembles: The Grade 7s launched the performing season in the first term by playing at a Junior School assembly and at the Parents' Auxiliary Bazaar. In November, the cross-grade strings played pre-concert music at the MacPherson Theatre for a gala concert that included student performers from S.M.U. with the Victoria Symphony. The Grade 8 class performed at the Chateau Victoria Hotel and Ocean Pointe Resort. A cross-grade chamber group accompanied the choir at the Carol Service and performed a movement of Corelli's Christmas Concerto. The Grade 6 string class was asked to lead in a Tuesday morning Chapel Service.

The study of Saint Saens' <u>Carnival of the Animals</u>, which was performed at the Concert Evening in the University Auditorium, incorporated student talent from the Art, French and English Departments of Middle School.

At the end of February, the Lafayette String Quarted spent a morning with the string students by performing for them and teaching them in small groups.

In the third term, the string students are preparing for the Prize Day ceremonies as well as performances in the Music Festival in April.



# Honour Band



# Stage Band



BR. N. Hincks, J. Frisby, A. Orr, M. Pyke, E. Holtham M. Lafreniere, R. Mogensen, M. Shortt, G. Homer MR. B. Jawl, G. Martin, P. Bourke, P. Karchut FR. C. Shepherd, T. McCarten, G. Dunlop, D. Hughes, S. Masterton, C. Naismith, T. Spearing, J. Smith, M. Lemay Piano, M. Crawford, Percussion: C. Lee, (A. Chadha, S. Jones, C. Chapheau, Bass. P. Joergensen, P. Bjornert)



# Halloween







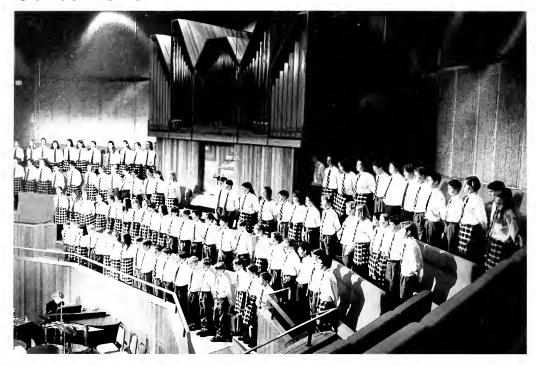








# Concert Choir





"Scottish Fiddle Tunes" played by S Bell, D Klaibert



"Three Little Maids from School": K. Schaan, J. Wynn, A. McLean



## Community Service



A major focus at St. Michaels University Middle School this year has been on community. This "sense of community" within the school, has made our students aware that respect and kindness, and dealing constructively with each others' differences is very important.

We branched out to the Victoria community in October (through the Mustard Seed Food Bank) with our "Peanut Butter Blitz" and helped provide many school children with lunches. In December, our second project was "Clean Your Closet." The "Hill House" Women's Transition Organization and the Mustard Seed Street Church were overwhelmed by your generous support of clothing, toys, books, and sporting equipment.

Our third project involved the "Big Brothers and Big Sisters" of Victoria. This organization provides a wonderful service to children and teenagers who live primarily in a one parent home where they desperately need a role model. They match a child with an adult who becomes involved as a friend and support person to help them experience a more positive side of life.

The students contributed to "Big Brothers and Big Sisters" through proceeds from the Computer Club's fund-raising tournament, our March 14 Grub Day, and the St. Patrick's Day Fun Run.

Many thanks to students and parents for your enthusiasm and commitment to our community service at St. Michaels University Middle School.

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# More Candids!!



Stage Band playing at the Alumni Dinner



Jaimie Boyd and Amanda Quan at band



ist place at the Track Kristie Tyrrell



Our friend Dudley is taken for a walk!



Caitlin Smith and Keely Bays in class on Halloween Day

#### Grade 8 Team

### Math Winners



B.R: S. Masterton, S. Mitchelmore, P. Zakus, Mr. Goodwin, F.R: D. Robson, E. Gibson, C. Smith, S. McBride.

We have seen some exceptional mathematicians in the Middle-School and this was reflected in the contest results over the year.

Grade 6: CNML 16th in Canada (680 schools)

Grade 6/7: Gauss 3rd in Victoria

(Andrew Orr highest score in Grade 7) (Evan Willms highest score in Grade 6)

Grade 8: ATPAC 4th in Canada

(Eli Gibson finishing lst in Grade 8 & 9)

( Scott McBride was 3rd)

CNML 3rd in Canada (660 schools)

(Team: E. Gibson, S. McBride,

G. Homer, C. Smith, D. Robson)

GAUSS 3rd in Victoria

(Eli Gibson: highest score in Grade 8)

PASCAL A grade 9 contest but we had ten Grade 8 students that were awarded distinctions. Caitlin Smith had the highest score.

J. J. Goodwin

## Royal Commonwealth Essay Winners



B.R: B. Gregson, E. Willms, G. Smith, L. English, C. Mick, A. Fellenz, M. Crawford, K. Vernon. F.R: J. Frisby, M. Palmer, J. Boyd, A. Lobb, E. Saunders, H. Holberg.

Lianne English and Jaimie Boyd are to be congratulated for placing 2nd and 3rd in British Columbia.



### PRIZE DAY AWARDS



#### Grade VI

Fraser Lee Outstanding Effort in Physical Education Erin Tombu Outstanding Effort: Art Mark Quinlan Outstanding Effort: Physical Education Outstanding Effort: French Gareth Davies Erin Langwith Outstanding Effort: English Outstanding Effort: Mathematics William Lee Outstanding Effort: Social Studies Owen Parrott Evan Willms Outstanding Effort: Science Outstanding Effort: Music Band, Computers Chad Travis Amy Lobb Outstanding Effort: Science, Choir Malina Margolus Outstanding Effort: Mathematics, Art

Emma Naismith Distinction: French Outstanding Effort: Japanese, Physical Education, Art Kerry Spearing Hilary Punnett Outstanding Effort: English, Japanese, Music Band Brian Gregson Distinction: Computers; Outstanding Effort: Mathematics Maureen Palmer Distinction: Art; Outstanding Effort: Music Strings Nicholas Faryna Distinction: Physical Education; Outstanding Effort: Science

Alandra Miller Distinction: Japanese: Outstanding Effort: Social Studies

Malcolm Wollach Distinction: Music Band; Outstanding Effort: Computers Michelle Lai Distinction: Mathematics; Outstanding Effort: French Elsa Hume Distinction: Physical Education; Outstanding Effort: English, Social Studies

Chelsea Tirling Distinction: English, Japanese, Computers Amanda Quan Distinction: Mathematics, Science, Social Studies; Outstanding Effort: French; 2nd Overall in Grade VI Jaimie Boyd Distinction: English, French, Science, Social Studies, Music Strings, Art; Outstanding Effort: Japanese,

Computers; 1st Overall in Grade VI

#### Grade VII

John Chien Outstanding Effort: Computers Brent Hemsworth Outstanding Effort: Art Conal Shepherd Outstanding Effort: Computers Nicholas Black Outstanding Effort: Communication Skills Andrew Orr Outstanding Effort: Physical Education Brad Jawl Outstanding Effort: Music Band Kristie Tyrrell Outstanding Effort: Physical Education Chris Chapheau Outstanding Effort: Science Caitlin Bailey Outstanding Effort: Social Studies Katie Jones Outstanding Effort: Science Emily Greason Outstanding Effort: English Ashlin Richardson Outstanding Effort: Mathematics Outstanding Effort: English Andrew Murgatroyd Katie Schaan Outstanding Effort: Music Strings, Choir Stuart Jones Outstanding Effort; Music Band, Art Yong Seok An Outstanding Effort: Mathematics, French Mycroft Schwartz Outstanding Effort: Mathematics, Social Studies

Jason Ko Distinction: Computers Florencia Bonet Distinction: Physical Education Distinction: Communication Skills Jane Frisby

Sean Tucknott Distinction: Japanese Kristen Vernon Distinction: English Susanna Moseley Outstanding Effort: English, French, Social Studies

Distinction: Art; Outstanding Effort: Hilary Gibson-Wood Communication Skills

Mike Pvke Distinction: Physical Education; Outstanding Effort: Japanese

Nicola Harper Erin MacIver Rach Liu

Distinction: Science: Outstanding Effort: Japanese Distinction: Social Studies; Outstanding Effort: Science Distinction: Mathematics, Computers

Louise Reid Distinction: Mathematics, Music Strings; Outstanding Effort: French

Meara Crawford Distinction: English, French, Art; Outstanding Effort: Physical Education, Computers; 2nd Overall in Grade VII

Elliot Holtham Distinction: French, Science, Social Studies, Music Band; Outstanding Effort: Art; 1st Overall in Grade VII

#### Grade VIII

Eli Gibson

Kenneth Cheng Outstanding Effort: Computers Jennifer Langwith Outstanding Effort: Choir Jesse McCallum Outstanding Effort: Computers

Nicholas Melling Outstanding Effort: Communication Skills Steven Mitchelmore Outstanding Effort: Computers Farhad Merali Outstanding Effort: Physical Education Chris Naismith Outstanding Effort: Japanese Noelle Quin Outstanding Effort: Music Strings

Chelsea Richardson Outstanding Effort: Physical Education Chris Wong Outstanding Effort: Music Band Michael Blumberg Outstanding Effort: Science Vicki Hsieh Outstanding Effort: French Hilary Flanagan Outstanding Effort: English Outstanding Effort: Mathematics Yun-Ji Lee Andrew Lampard Outstanding Effort: English

Tina Korki Outstanding Effort: ESL Outstanding Effort: Communication Skills, Art Kerry Morin Matt Celuszak Outstanding Effort: Mathematics, Music Band Justin Hume Outstanding Effort: Science, Social Studies Graham Day Outstanding Effort: Science, Social Studies

Wayne Lau Distinction: Computers Caitlin McKenzie Distinction Physical Education Drew Robson Distinction: Computers Distinction: French Peter Williamson Christine Chou Distinction: ESL

Outstanding Effort: French, Social Studies, Music Band Diana Hughes

Kate Louman-Gardiner Distinction: Music Band; Outstanding Effort: Physical Education

Corrina Mick Distinction: Social Studies; Outstanding Effort:

Mathematics

Susan Green Distinction: Mathematics; Outstanding Effort: Art Gregory Smith Distinction: Physical Education; Outstanding Effort: Communication Skills, Art

Distinction: Music Band; Outstanding Effort: French, Keegan MacIntosh

Computers

Sascha Braunig Distinction: English, Art Paul Zakus

Distinction: Social Studies; Outstanding Effort: English, Japanese, Physical Education

Kendra Tombu Distinction: Music Strings, Art; Outstanding Effort: English, Social Studies

Distinction: Mathematics, French, Science, Communication Skills

Lianne English Distinction: English, Choir; Outstanding Effort: Art;

2<sup>nd</sup> Overall in Grade VIII

Distinction: Science, Japanese; Outstanding Effort: Caitlin Smith

Mathematics; 1st Overall in Grade VIII



## SPECIAL AWARDS



DR. ALISTAIR BAIRD CUP (top citizen - grade 8) Paul Karchut

PARENTS' AUXILIARY PLAQUE (top citizen - grade 7) Louise Reid

MR. IAN JESSIMAN CUP (top citizen - grade 6) Hailey Holberg

H. J. P. SCHAFFTER CUP ( most deserving student that has not been recognized ) Diana Hughes

> IAN JESSIMAN TROPHY ("soldiering on") Chelsea Richardson

LEWIS FAMILY PLAQUE ( top male and female athletes ) Corrina Mick. Noelle Quin Rory Connolly

ROBERT MURPHY CUP ( most improved student ) Justin Hume

NORMAN TOOKE CUP ( most improved student ) Katie Jones

ROY P. HUDSON MEMORIAL TROPHY (top student in fine arts) Kendra Tombu

> PARENTS AUXILARY TROPHY (all-round ability - Grade VI) Elsa Hume

MERIT BOWL (all-round ability - Grade VII) Elliot Holtham

TWENTY CLUB CUP (all-round ability - Grade VIII) Corrina Mick

MIDDLE SCHOOL LEADERSHIP AND SPORTSMANSHIP AWARD Gregory Smith

> ALUMNI ASSOCIATION SCHOLARSHIP AWARD Corrina Mick

LORNE P. HUDSON MEMORIAL TROPHY (best overall contribution to Middle School) Caitlin Smith

#### PARENTS' AUXILIARY AWARDS

Grade VIII Grade VII Lianne English Vicki Hsieh Diana Hughes Katherine Louman- Andrew Orr Corrina MickTristan Tristan Swift

Drew Robson Kendra Tombu Christopher Wong

David Burnett Emily Gregson Nicola Harper Gardiner Andrew Murgatroyd Amanda Quan

Grade VI Jaimie Boyd Brian Gregson Maureen Palmer Hilary Punnett Chelsea Tirling

#### HEADMASTER'S SCHOLARSHIPS

Grade VIII Eli Gibson Susan Green Scott McBride Caitlin Smith Paul Zakus

Grade VII Meara Crawford Hilary Gibson-Wood Elliot Holtham Nurrachman Liu Ashlin Richardson









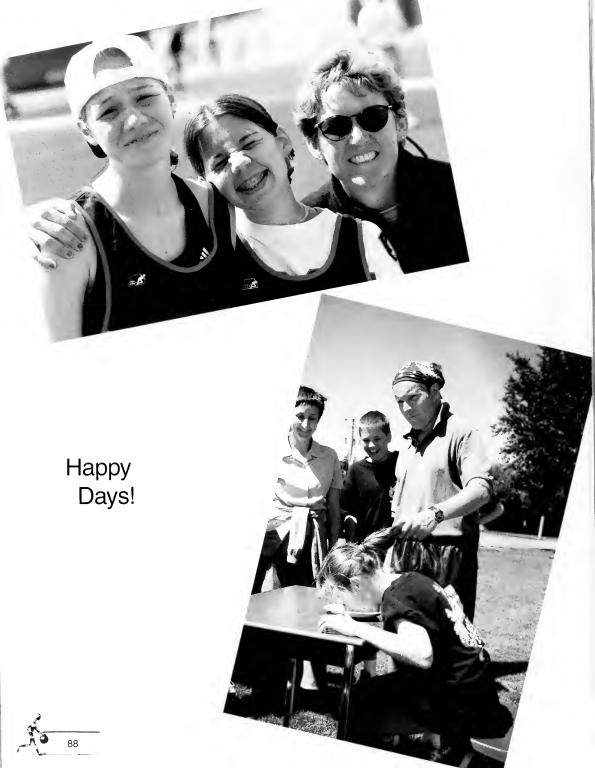
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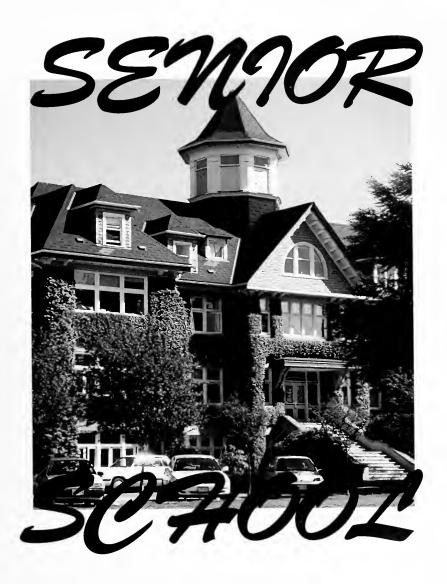






# Autographs





# **DIRECTOR'S FOREWORD**



Mr. Peter Tongue Senior School Director

Another action-packed year is recing to its conclusion, although, even after the end of a busy school year, activities will continue. For the first time, Mis. Humphiveys and her senior choir have been invited to participate as members of a mass Canadian Choir to perform in Camegie Hall, New York, to celebrate July 1st. Such is the calibre of music in the school that invitations abound for our staff and students to be involved in Provincial and National competitions. Another first saw the senior jazz band rise to second spot in the National Jazz Festival held in Ottawa in May, as well as performing at several schools in Ontaino. A highlight was a reciprocal visit to the Father Bressani High School, Woodbridge, Ontaino, who brought a band, choir and rugby team to Victoria in March.

Once again, the B.C. Honour Orchestra and choir were disproportionately represented by our students. For the second year running the school provided the concert master for the orchestra, this time in the capable musicianship of Taylor Rankin. We had our second school concert ocncert highlighting Chris Smith and Enc Kim, two of our outstanding young musicians. The music composers continue to grow in numbers and quality; and it was wonderful to see the full orchestra perform one of Michael Kwan's pieces on Prize Day. The Composer's Evening was beautifully complemented by a display of the impressive grade twelve art work created this year.

Unfortunately, the planned musical 'Grease' could not go ahead for copyright reasons, but the students showed tremendous resourcefulness and, under the driving influence of Devon Hahn and Army Slego, put together their own Musical Revue of some of the show stopping numbers from musicals performed at the school over the last ten years. It was an unprecedented success.

The grade twelve play, Shakespeare's 'A Midsummer Night's Dream', saw some wonderfully hammy performances, including Nick Stanger as Bottom/Pyramus, Joel Bowman as Snug'the lion, and Blar Nelson as a hilanous Flute/Thisbe.

The intense, at times funny, at times tragic, 'One Flew Over the Cuckoo's Next', was superbly performed by the grade elevens, with strong lead roles from Megan Volk as Nurse Ratched and Chris Stolarski as McMurphy (Jack Nicholson's role). Other grade eleven plays were put on as lunch time theatre presentations and were much enjoyed by those in attendance.

This has been one of the most successful sporting years in the school's history, and, in terms of Provincial performances, SMUS must be ranked first in the Province this year. The year began on a high note when the senior girls' field hockey squad repeated their impressive performance of last year in winning the Provincial Championship in Vancouver in early. November. This was quadrial performance of last year in winning the last with the provincial Championship in the provincial Championship in the Colts' Rudgly squad winning the Island championship. When the girls the control provincial championship in the Colts' Rudgly squad winning the Island championship, with big wins against arch midals shawing an Lake and Oak Bay. After Christmas, the junior boys' (grade nine and ten) basketball team swept all before them on the Island and went on to win the unofficial provincial championship. The school year then finished on a high note with grade nine student Natelle Lisinski winning a silver medal in the Provincial Senior High Jump Championship (nit) the second medalist the school has ever had) and the senior rugby squad proving successful in winning the Provincials. Few gave this team a chance. Seeded third, we required victories on successive days against Oak Bay (6th), Lord Bying (2nd) and Shawnigan (1st). Captain Ed Fairfurst led a determined, first time tackling team to victory. Other Provincial playoff performances of excellent quality.

were provided by the senior boys' soccer, senior girls' basketball.senior boys' cross-country, badminton, tennis and senior girls' soccer teams. Congratulations to Female Athlete of the Year Deanne Age, who has won a full scholarship to attend the University of Alaska and play basketball. Other sports in the school continue to flourish including cycling and cricket, while ten pin bowling has become a very popular and successful intramural activity.

Once again, the senior school prize day and graduation ceremonies were amalgamated and this year were held at the University of Victoria Auditorium Centre. The major prize winners were rewarded for years of commitment and excellent contributions to the school.

The premier award, the Ker Cup, was won by Patrick Gill, an extraordinary young man who featured in the National ranking in three different academic areas: mathematics, physics and chemistry. A wonderful musician and prolific composer, Patrick was central to the success of the jazz band on his melodic trombone. He also managed to find time to perform on behalf of the senior boys "provincial cross-country team."

Kathryn Wynn was the leader of the grade, expending enormous time and effort on behalf of the grad class; she was a worthy winner of the Brian Dyer Award for community service inside the school.

A new award this year, the 'Darlene McCue Award', also went to a most deserving young lady. Andrea Horsman is the first winner of this Award for building bindges between diverse groups within our community.

The John Nation Bowl goes to the student who serves the community in such a way that you would want this person as a next door neighbour -this year, Yan Mak. This talented young lady has led the lazz band vocals, and her warm hearted nature has raised the spirits of all who come in contact with her.

The Groos Salver goes to the student who has put in the most significant contribution to community service outside the school. Lifer Robin Featherstone has done a fantastic job both outside and inside the school. Talented, determined and canng, Robin's contribution has been enormous.

It is perhaps fitting that Robin should receive this award after twelve committed years to the school at the same time that father Grenfell has decided to retire from teaching. Grenfell, a larger than life character who has entertained, educated and inspired young men and women over the last twenty years will be sorely missed at the school and will never be replaced. I know that he is pleased to have timished marking the last of his thousands of red ink covered essays, but I also know that he will miss the aspects of the school that enable the students to show their talent, creativity and character. Our very best wishes go with Grenfell in his retirement from the school, and our thanks for many happy hours listening to his intelligent and insightful discourses.

This school year began on a sad note when veteran campaigner Commander Douglas Williams died suddenly of a stroke in late September. There will be other inbutes made to Douglas in this Yearbook, but I did want to recognize the outstanding contribution that "Uncle Willy" made to the school. In the latter years he was first and foremost a finend and counsellor to the staff and students, and he will be missed by all of us.

Looking forward to the new year, I am confident that we have outstanding leadership and talent in the school. The new student leaders, Jenny Reed and Chris Stolarski, have strong support and considerable abilities around them in the new grad class and their prefect body.

We look forward to the amval of our new Director of Academics, Dr. Tom Matthews, who will ensure that the academic side of the school retains its prominent position, as well as working further to guarantee that all of our students obtain excellent teaching. It will be a good year

# **VALEDICTORY ADDRESS**



Patrick Gill Captain Scholar



Rohanna Green Captain Scholar



Robert Bateman Head Boy



Kathryn Wynn Head Girl

The valedictory address is traditionally a farewell to the graduating class. However, I refuse to say goodbye because this is not the end of the class of '97. Although we will disperse to the corners of the world, our class will not be disbanded; only altered. Connections will always keep us part of grad '97. We have built friendships which will extend across the world and last our lifetimes. As well as giving us an exceptional education, SMU has given us connections around the world.

In his poem "A Valediction Forbidding Mourning", John Donne compares the parting of two people in love to gold being beaten to an airy thinness: expanding, but not breaking. The grad class is also like a piece of gold that will be beaten by the hammers of time until we will wrap around the world. And everywhere we go, we will take with us the glitter of gold. Like Gold, we will continue to shine wherever we go; and we will be identified as graduates of SMU's class of '97 just as gold foil can be identified as gold.

We did not become gold on our own, however. I think I speak for the whole class of '97 when I say that the instruction we have been given has been first rate. We would like to thank the faculty at the school for their hard work. One of the school's great strengths is the fact that our teachers truly care about their subjects. The music, art and drama teachers give us opportunity to create, as well as perform. The English faculty teach us to live well and think clearly. The Math and P.E. teachers show a gargantuan enthusiasm for their subjects. The science and second language teachers constantly enrich the material given to us to the point where provincial exams seem trivial. The supreme quality of instruction at the school is a testament to the dedication of the staff and the wisdom of our leaders.

There is a group of people whose contribution to the school merits special recognition. These people must work with irate teachers, organise events and occasionally even stay up into the wee hours of the night doing extra work. Obviously, I refer to the students. To state the obvious, the co-operation of the students is key in any school. My fellow classmates have an enthusiasm for the material which renders classes enjoyable. Also, the students contribute to the overall character of the school more than any other group. They come from all over the world, and each contributes to the school in their own unique way. The numerous and prestigious successes earned by our artists, scholars and athletes are a reflection not only of the quality of instruction at SMU, but of the raw material our teachers have to work with.

To those students not graduating this year, I would like to remind you of the colossal opportunity available at this school. You attend a school where you may participate in a myriad of activities, from music composition to scuba diving to meditation. Do not put off your dreams until after high school. You have the chance to follow your dreams right now. Take that chance.

To the grads, I would like to leave you with an analogy. If life is like music, that music is jazz. We find ourselves on stage in front of the whole world, who we may acknowledge or not; and we are in a position to play if we want. We are given no sheet music: the whole thing is improvised. The song has no name. It has been playing before we arrive, and will continue playing after we are gone. The footlights are bright, so we have no hope of seeing our whole audience. We all have stage fright. We can, however, take heart in the fact that the audience has no idea what the song is supposed to sound like and that they are jazz musicians themselves. When our turn comes, we harmonise with our friends and trade fours with our rivals. We hope to sound good, but there is no real way of hearing ourselves properly. Some of us enjoy the performance; others bitterly complain. As in life, the happiest improvisers are not those who play the best, but the ones who appreciate the music most. They enjoy the music without feeling the need to compare their playing with others, as they know there can be no absolute comparison. Life defies criticism, but is conducive to appreciation.

There is a Calvin and Hobbes cartoon I remember in which Calvin brings a snowflake into the classroom for show and tell and says:

Did you ever notice how a snowflake, an utterly unique and exquisite crystal, turns into a boring molecule of water the minute you bring it in the classroom? Now, while the analogy sinks in, I'm going to leave you drips and go play outside.

In one way, our school is like a moist deep-freeze. SMU has allowed us to crystallise further by offering opportunities to develop ourselves without melting the snowflake it was given.

I speak for the whole class when I say I have mixed feelings about graduating. Many of you I will never see again. Many of my casual friendships will melt away. I want you to know that you will always have a place in my heart and I will miss you. The mixed feelings come from the tremendous excitement of stepping out into the world after having received an empowering education. We've made it, Grad '97. The world is out there waiting for us. Let's go get lem!

-Patrcik Gill, Rohanna Green Captain Scholars

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# STAFF CANDIDS



Mrs. Mary Humphreys, Mr. David Stoll, Mrs. Hedda Thatcher, Mr. Rob Cameron, Mrs. Peggy Murphy, Mrs. Colleen McLeish, Mrs. Marilyn Levitt, Mrs. Laura Keziere, Comm. Douglas Williams, Ms. Judy Tobacco, Mr. Bob Richards, Chap. Lynford Smith, Mr. Ron Dyson, Mr. Allen McCracken, Mr. Grenfell Featherstone, Mr. Bruce Kuklinski, Mr. Peter Gardiner, Ms. Catherine Greer, Mr. Chuck Shergold, Mr. Alan Jones, Mr. Colin Skinner, Mrs. Kirsten Davel, Ms. Kathy Roth, Mr. Michael Jackson, Mr. George Belliveau, Mr. Ken Smith, Mrs. Toshi Thumm, Mr. Keith Murdoch, Mr. Tony Keble, Ms. Kim Poland, Mrs. Margaret Skinner, Mr. Bill Buckingham, Mr. Bill Greenwell, Ms. Simone Hart, Mr. Melville Jones, Mr. Peter Tongue, Mr. Robert Snowden, Mrs. Jean Ives, Mr. Kevin Cook, Mrs. Kathy Rae









- 1. Ms. Kım Poland

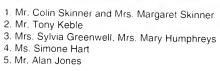
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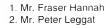




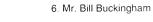








- 3. Mr. Kevin Cook
- 4. Mr. Peter McLeod
- 5. Ms. Catherine Greer



# "Torget your comic strip

heroes and modern day



"He loved the students, he loved the school and he had a passion for life."

# On Remembering

"He has guarded the Chapel with his life, and somewhere in there today, he will be brandishing his walking stick in one hand and with his other to he will be shouting "Yaberdabber Doo! Have a great life- 'cause I did."

#### Peter Tongue

"I doubt that I'll ever be able to forget my friend Commander Williams. Since grade nine. when I first came to SMUS as a boarder, he had helped and encouraged me not only in studying French, but also in so many other aspects of my life. He soon became a close friend of mine and I value every moment that I had spent with him. Whenever I need to laugh or smile, I simply think of all of his funny remarks and curious little habits, whether it was drawing me pictures to reward me for good work or hearing him across the quad velling "Yabadabadoo! Merry Christmas!!", even though it would be the middle of May. Most of all, he always had a way of cheering me up when I needed it. He had such a great sense of humour, yet when he wanted to he could act seriously, like the Commander that he was. I feel very fortunate that I had the chance to come to know Commander Williams and I only regret that others didn't have the same opportunity. I know that he cared for all of his students although he may have had different ways of showing it. Commander Williams always had a way of constantly giving me words of advice by disguising them in our conversations. Whenever I became frustrated or confused over French, he became intolerant reminding me that he considered me a top student in French, so the best was expected from me. At least every other class he would sit down with me and stare me straight in the eye and say, "Courtenay, I want you to know that if you ever have any problems - any problems at all you can just come talk to your Uncle Willy." He taught me to believe in myself and not doubt my ability and I know that his encouragement has contributed to all of my personal goals. He has left me with not only wonderful memories and laughs, but also with a determination to do well at whatever I try and to dare myself into achieving beyond what I expect. Although my heart tells me to grieve for him, I realise that it is selfish to feel any regret on his behalf as he lived a truly full and productive life. And so with due respect to Commander Williams, my mentor and my friend, I look forward to the day that we meet again. Il y etait et il y aura qu'un seul Uncle Willy."

#### Courtenay Mitchell

"I went to school one day with a terrible cold. I had tutorial with the Commander, and he was appalled by my condition. Sitting beside me, almost shouting, he said "Comrie, if there's one thing I learned in the War, I learned that it is sometimes better to make a tactical withdrawl. Return to base, regroup the troops, get a rest, form a new game plan, and commence the offensive the next day. I submit that you are in such a position. You go home at once. I'll take care of the paperwork. Go."

Andrew Comrie- Picard

# **OUTDOOR EDUCATION**





Mug Shots - Candids - Clubs Grub Days - Halloween Concerts - Plays - Classes - Dances - Outdoor Trips

Benjamin Acton Clea Adair Katherine Barry Bronwen Bell David Beswick Philip Beverley Dominic Borzoni Scott Brown Lauchlin Burnett Erick Calder Taran Chadha Kenneth Chan Lila Cheimak Johnny Chen Katrina Cheung Ross Chian Lorien Chilton

Gary Chou Jin-Hyuk Chung Evan Crawford Karen Dawson Joanna Fairhurst



Gregory Fowler Earson Gibson Supreet Gill

Geoffrey Gledhill Mary-Ellen Glover Eric Goldstein Jaqueline Goldstein Jonathan Gordon

Kentaro Guthrie Clare Hall-Patch Itsuki Hayashi Jordan Helm Jack Ho

Merlin Ho Sarah Holberg Sarah Hudson

Nicholas Hume John Hung David Ingle















1) Dominic Borzoni 2) Scott McCarten, 3) Taran Chadha, 4) Jonathan Randle, Benjamin Acton 5) Bronwen Bell, Natalie Lisinski, Katherine Barry, Jessalyn Jennings, Shawna McKee, Jennifer Thompson, Joanna Fairhurst. 6) Greg Fowler, Ashley Wey.











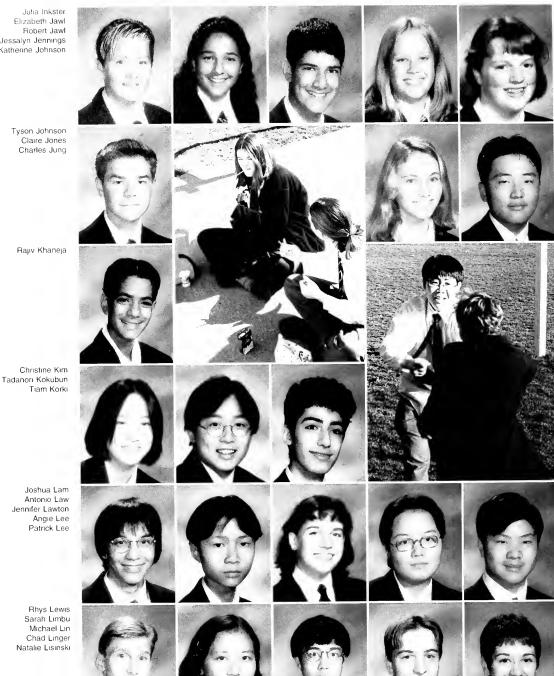


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Julia Inkster Elizabeth Jawl Robert Jawl Jessalyn Jennings Katherine Johnson

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Rajiv Khaneja



Joshua Lam Antonio Law Jennifer Lawton Angle Lee Patrick Lee

Rhys Lewis Sarah Limbu Michael Lin Chad Linger Natalie Lisinski



Scott McCarten Nathan McCartney Shawna McKee

Jessica Miller Jelena Mrdjenovich Meredith Murgatroyd

Liam Newton Grahame Nicholls Kaunteya Nundy

Colin Palmer Bryce Parsons Robyn Parton

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Michael Wilson Sung-Hyun Won Gerald Wong Leland Wong Daniel Wood



Jennifer Yoo







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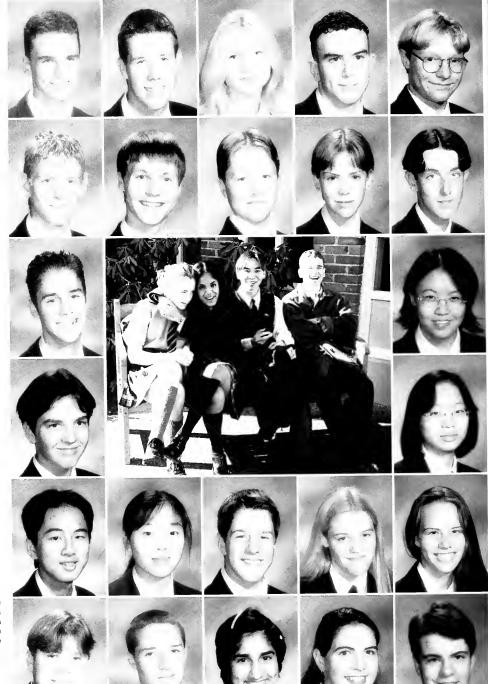


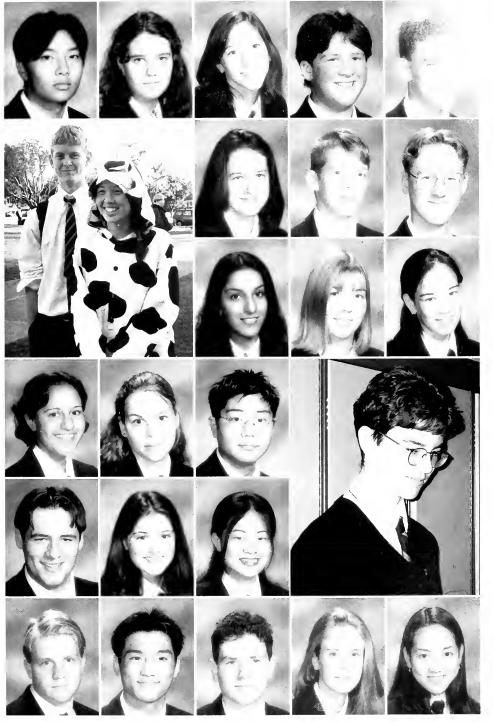
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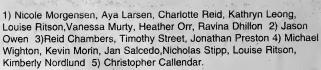
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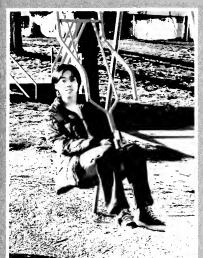




















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Nicholas Isaac Dan Ishihara

Christopher James Ryan Jennings





Sunil Khaneja Craig Kilshaw Dixie Klaibert John Kwari Aya Larsen







Erik Larsen Samantha Lawrence Ken Lee Lawrence Lee Vanessa Lee











Kathryn Leong Sabrina Loiacono Blake Martin Ciara McLean Christopher Mills







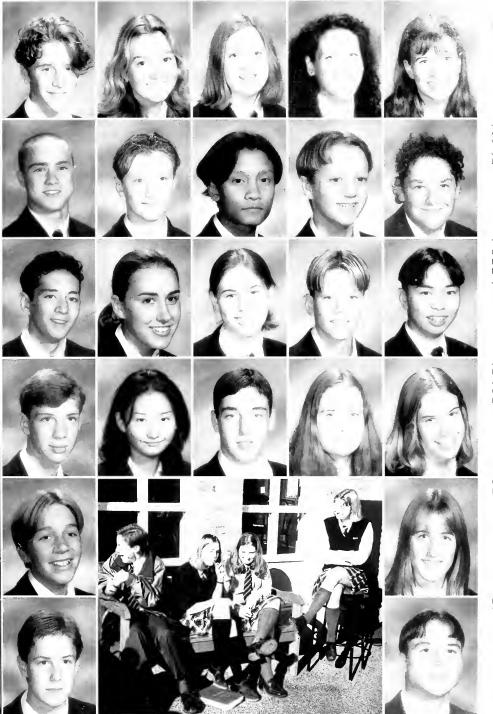












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James Saunders Rebecca Sheng Arı Shortt Caitlin Smith Kimberly Smith

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Nicholas Stipp Timothy Street

Mark Su Alyssa Sunderani Rebecca Taylor Judy Tseng Julia Tugwell

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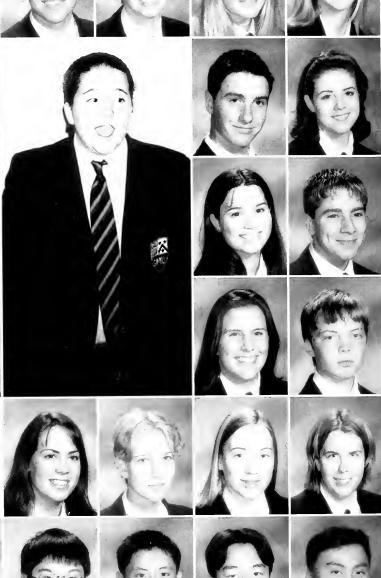
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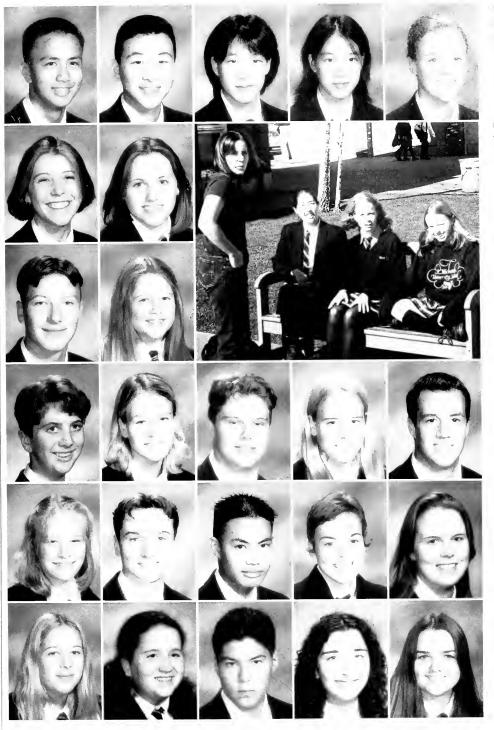






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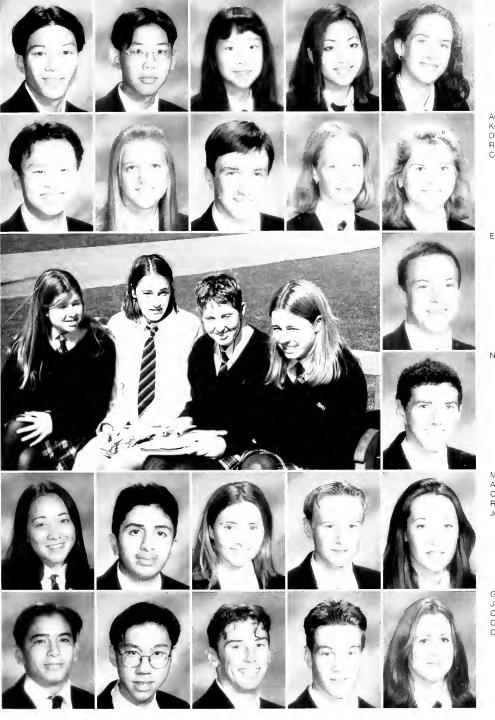
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Alan Lin Kimberley Lobb David Lynch Rachel Magnusson Catherine Mccarten

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Nathan Millar

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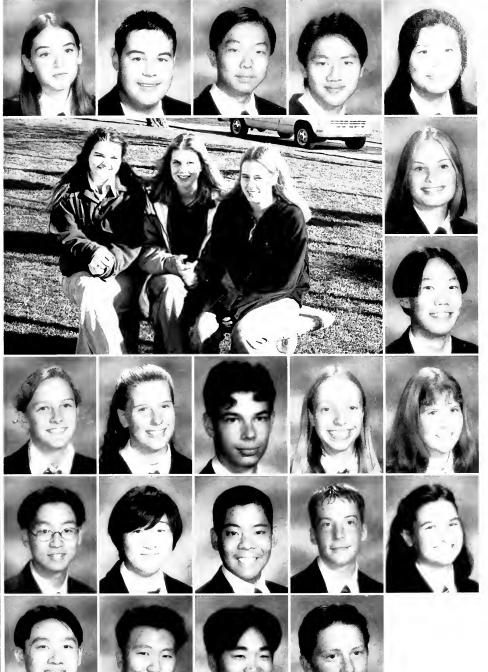
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Grad Photos - Grad Candids - Car Rallies - Skip Days - Fashion Shows Plays - Grad Pranks - Snow - Spring Fair - Grad Camp Out - Dinner Dance



# Geoffrey Adams

Well, it had to happen. I'm finally graduating. 18 years have passed since I was born and the doctors said "Those pain killers won't have affected your baby at all." Shows what they know. Well, graduating is pretty cool, I'm taking the courses I like and I have lots of spares. If school had always been like, I would never want to leave. So, Have I achieved anything in my five years at SMU? Not really I've been to one party that didn't involve the singing of Happy Birthday, and was unimpressed. I've never been on a date. I haven't walked a mile in another mans shoes and I don't think. I've walked a mile in my own shoes either. Sad. Well, enough dwelling on my pitful existence, I'd better get on with the stereotypical recounting of events that are only humorous to those who saw them. Kc, your endless taunting of My Duckys and swoopy hair will be remembered. I have no doubt you have laid the ground work for deep psychological scars that will take decades of therapy to work out. KBarnes, in grade 111 drove you home from school on a daily basis, this year we went for the commute to school in the mornings. We've seen Weird Al and SW.SE and I think It's just about the most fun I've had in the past five years. KBourne, There really isn't anything more fun then hiding behind Challoner, skipping another 2400 run is there? BB, you've nearly made me laugh out loud at the most inappropriate times in English Lt, I'm just happy you didn't get me kicked out of class. Scott, Irruth is out there, and it's got PEMC written all over it. Well, nothing left except to insult some teachers and class mates. Hey Cam, Madagascar's a fabulous place, Island ya'know. Hey, is that a bowling bowl in a hula skirt? nope, just a primate, my mistake. Anyhow, now that the last remaining days of my school year have been made awkward I'll leave you all with some works of wisdom. "Thank-you drive through."

# Deanna Age

Dee came to SMUS in grade 8, where she was introduced to Whit, Jackson's midnight joke's, and a funny counselor. NOT! She settled in fine, despite a daily bus ride with Virg anothe grid who put her violin on people laps. Notable moments include, acting in Socials, Jaying soccer in Math, and an aniamation of a cow jumping over a moon?? Her best memories were with Be Band Vaness -when everything broke into a song! The Semor School brought more good times, Henry and Jo- half court shots. Mt. Tolime - a topic on it's own, West Coast trail, 8 girls, waterfalls, and fune in the Tuna Nunal Grad Camp Out - thanks to all those who helped me out? Back parking lot - what are those, lines? Thanks to everytoody for the good times. Lindsay Mac and Sabrina-b-ball gals! Carys-rookie memories from both sides (elevators and warpaint). Jhauwiniekaspskipt French class. Thetis and New Years, just name a few. Vaness, the best a man age! Chris-I'll be wearin Flicko Air's soon! DD-inside joke, can I laugh? JB-nice istang- bad short! Coops. California babe-stay in the bushes when the battery's dead! Math. Thetis, sturpees, Datsun joke, shotgun, the list goes on. Cam-camping and hanging out. I thanks for the good times! Stonze- my other half, need I say more? Whister '94. '96, field hockey mating calls, b-ball pranks, 80's stapes, sturpees. Tolimie talks, midnight excursions, Staff Wars-where are the Evoks? Girls inghist 'Car Raillies and Tours, wheelin' T around the Vatican, hissin' guys, ice cream signs, the Rock, Chinese food in Florence, photographer at two in the morning, my family. I lovodr and Galapagos, enough banana's to feed me word, Discoteca night, Mits and hot chocolotate, and a crazy card game at Luna Runa Tuna. It was the altitude! For future reference, always sit in the corner of founges, jump off the boat from as high as you can, and you'll have Way more furn't your run't Thanks to all those teachers, Mrs. McLeish, Mr. Peach, Mr. 3900, Mr. Laidlaws, M.P. T.C, Mr. Gardner, Ms. Roth, and Mr. Manson Biar you all make it ea



## Scott Amiss

Foley says "whip it up." - I do It's been a slice.

# Stephanie Anderson

I came to SMUS in grade 8 with Melissa from St. Pat's. I have some great memories including our beginner band class (yellow bird), the BTB group, the grand canyon, lovely violin concerts, singing LM, funky nailpolish, the po-po are creepin', Apollo & Dionysus, out of control skiing and New York to come. Thanks to all my friends who contributed to those memories. Another big thank you goes to my supportive parents and teachers and also to Suzanne and Damaris, my longtime friends. I wish all of grad '97 the best in the future.





# Peter Andrachuk

Peter has been the pride of SMUS for the last four years. Being a model student was never much of a challenge for Peter. Peter is a natural leader and a gitted athlete. Peter's position has made him a great favourite with the rugby team. Many people have been afraid of Peter because of his imposing figure, but for those who looked beyond his manly image.......

Okay, now for the \_real\_ stuff:

Well, I have spent 4 years at SMUS, and loved them. I have made many close finends along the way, or so I try and tell myself!). I absolutely hate using initials, so here goes......Bianca, what can I say? We will always be finends. "Quickly F.H., to the Queer-Mobile!", Sleep-overs, Ab-Fab late into the night. "Sweetie, sweetie make mummy a cup of coffeet". Cruising in the Queer-Mobile. Our Jays!

... Amber: Never forget those Julius runs, cowgrif!....Jacki: Pick up gas station attendants much?.....Robyn: Don't overheat the VISA!!....Sharon: Mother!?!....Mitz: Let's not ever go to dinner with B. and Chad again!...Robin: "The Eagle has landed".....Charlotte, Jen A., Ali S., Carol L.: I'm with the DJ, okay? Hoochies forever!... Devon, Chrissy: I should have listened to your advice about Girl-Boy .....Ali: 2 schools? You can be my 2 schools, baby!.....Memones: Pumpkin thieving, poop-deck, "You silly monkey", Whatever, Cam the DJ. cell phone ringing geology, Ms. Greer's smarties, I'm not addicted to iced teal, "Harrod's ringing?", Car rallies (Ali running naked along the causeway), Mr. Cameron's Spanish class (learning useful phrases such as "El tiene una naranga jugosa"), "These aren't Versace!", "Becky Taylor, what are you wearing? Three inches!", unccordinated Grease rehearsals, being a designated driver for everything, crazy Mexican students, ski trips: I will pay you 5 bucks to close the window!, Brown Hall, hero worship (Eva Durate de Peron), shrine to J., shopping during spares, laptop notes: Thanks everyone for making this such a great 4 years at SMUS! Hove you all! Remember. Always be open minded and accepting. Love is more than an emotion, it is a way of life! What else can I say? I wish everyone happiness in their lives. \*\*Good-bye dathings!\*\*

#### Devin Arnold

Descending from the barren archic wasteland of Yellowkinte. Devin entered grade 8 as a covering little child who spent his time squawking like a parrot, drooling over a certain female, and generally trying to adapt himself to SMU life. It took his brain a while to defrost from the cold Yellowkinfe winters, but KW certainly helped by aggravating him a lot. Along the way, he gathered many fond memones, and just as many inchannes. The fondest of the fond include being voted "cutest guy in gr. 9", the "baddy corner" - including the illustrious underwear football game versus R. F. and S. 1, his psychic mother reading the aures of his friends, and the ever-growing list of people to kill. His cacophony of inckannes includes. "Specedaby", "Sprocket", "Parrot", "Kewin", "Mr. Amold", and, of course, the infamous "Scrotes". He didn't smash any sports records (though he is quite an enthusiastic cricket player), but he does have the notorious accomplishment of drinking over twice his body weight in sitilizees, and consuming noe McDonald's chicken failed for every day of August. He will be remembered for many things, not the least of which is his testsh for 14 year old girls in crotch-length sailor sults waving magical wands. not that that's a bad thing or anything. Devin is still unsure about what the future holds for him (although we could call his mom and Ind out), but some of mathotions include. To get his bachelor's degree in telepathy, to convince the feline species to accept him as one of their own, to somehow make it through hie without ever having a real job, to marry Sailor Moon, and to be the hirst man to set foot on Mars. Whatever he does and wherever he goes, we are all sure he will still be covering still have a file with the FBI, still be collecting Sailor Moon memorabilia, still be drooling over the same female, and will always be a slacker. He wishes everyone the best in whatever they endu pdoing. To those of you who were kind to him, he will remember you when he is not not those of you who pissed him off -





# Coille Atchley

I started at go in 95 and when the light turned green I was off at full tilt, that was until VY hit a red light, and I promise you that it was The country roads caused some problems for AC and the YJ. "Hey was the a curb you just hit?". Over the barners and past the sucurity guards BB and I wandered aimlessly until we found double A hotseat and the cricket pitch. The friedly hill was visited all to frequently, but sadly never spun for me ... I took a small detour to see some green "Yall run back to your cars now". Then I landed on a chance and went straight to jail were I faced Heaven and Planet rejection. But soon enough I hit a straight stretch which took me right to Holland. KR look it's the forest with three trees, SNUPYAS! I rounded a bend which led to the BV gravel roads, and the powerline trails. I still sport the scar from the deadly ski pole, and once there was a white YJ ABRAKADABRA it's black. We thought we were smart, but we took a wrong turn from Boardwalk to the Cutblock. KR you will always look like a troll to me, signing off Brat #1. Gill and Meg thank you for taking down some the barners before I collided head on with them. Mom thank you for your unconditional support and I promise I will ride at Milner again because it will be a part of my life forever. Dad you showed me that there isn't a day that passess that you don't learn something and I am greatfull for that. One day went your not looking I will wader from the trough, but until then SHLURP.

JD.BB.TB.VY, AC.RG.KW.KK, DA.GG.MP,EC.MD,SH thanks for making my road trip full of memories.

## Casey Austin

Scrawny nerd came to smooth in grade 8 and soon transtormed into a geetar playing rockstar. DUDE! youze my angel, my singing pixe shtick. Don't lose your pendi up yer nose, there, poopie! Mano and Weej are in the haus! We started with a lute and now up of tenders. Keep writing your beautiful songs and stop watching sailor moon, git yer kit on. Thato, thus is Casey Austin an we are goin downtown to see mike wait an the foo fighters, thankyou, bye." (not goodbye forever cause babys outta com)-love Rachel i came to \$moo in 92, the walls were pink an it smelt like a loo. soon we switched to where its at, el sen—oir sknol was so phat.

aie, i dunno where teh start. MY GIRLS. "White, you're my magnetic charm, ai'm stuck forever an aie canna get away' we are trouble and you know it, we were brats and we still are and thats why we're so famous. "Rachel, my angle, Innécetelle, weel, angle, open, eratcht, anglelisious, rebolt, i love you, we've been through the poo, poo, you helped me over all of the rambows...(and DAMM dey wer oogly). BOOM! no one beats my nik's bed head. "Becks, i'll never forget the beating you gave to the beamer, bad luck bazzard when we peed on the 7th green i hope the cops stepped in it. "Midchel, Michelle my belle, you are my long legged african fashion queen, so many great costumes for so many great occasions, baby. I loved the times when we reclined the magic green jellybean's seats and talked about life. "Manat, thimbellinal, i will never forget your speed-stones, your technicolored hair and your laughter, you have the power. "Lucy, my cutie, i'll see you at the next dance. last and definately not least, "Kath, my kathryn wynn, my winner, great host of the girl's dinners, pre-dances, pre & post parties, and enterfaining new years... i'll always remember your smile. (and your wisdom cheeks, pudge). I LOVE MY GIRLS. "To anyone it alughed with, i'm going to miss you





# Kimberly Barnes

Okay, lemme see... I've been @ SMU for 4 years now and I can definitely say that the past few years have been the best in my life. *Iok*, I hate normality:) Anywho, in no order. JG/Thrakaina J - My Soul Twin, fellow Dragon Lady, and arteest, Luv you! The window is always open. Squeeze me? Oi-ving? Ving-oi! Sok? S'aright. S'aright? S'ok. Crazy monkey, tricks are for magicians. Ga is giving you a deep long passionate Hi-Five! You are Kender, Psanki err.. you know: P - AM - 'coff!' 'coffee' <look Kat> - KC - Canajan Eh? Goddanufferya? Broodle. *To the batcave!* Austrenglish? Vadayvah. Tastes like chicken. -IL DoiT! - SA - Can I have your Thunderbird? <Grin> Sloan rocks. - CN - I lolke it, Iuv my bog/ boggy. Teach me violin! ) - KB - (yah thats right, I'm talking to myself <Gs) Kim², My eternal twin. Just checkin out the BMW. Let's go stalking! KitH 4ever. - GA - Heeheehee Oops! Poof. I'm a ... pumpkin! From the episodes of Super Petor 'peuf' The Fairy Queen strikes! Love all your d00dles. - ML - Haah, I'm crazy egg-beater head. - PA - Brock On! Snazzin... Down in Fraggle Brock! - SL - 'NARF' /bable, modem withdrawa!! Snitty - CG - My *goddess* you laught me well... Too well! Look VELVET! "meep" <EG> Forever Singing, Join Prima! Mmm...Chocolate - CR - Dragons Dragons Everywhere, Dragons Dragons Under-where? - DP - \*meep" Can I be your laptop? - Y'all not forgotten: TT, TC, JJ, PB, CC, JH, S&S, PA, YM, KC, LS, NSK, Ato, Cta, Kitten - Forever Longhair. All those you can't see are only invisible.

## Tina Barrett

Once upon a time, there lived a girl named Tina. She came from a far away magic land called Logan LakenoIndonesia. She came to a castle ( NORSIRP) named SMU, where she and her stepsister slaved for many wicked stepmothers. One day, Tina escaped to a ball; disguised as a devil she met her Prince Charming That night Rapunzel let down her knotted hair and her and her stepsister shimmied away from her second floor window. Her second year was filled with new expenances and duties, for no longer a servant, Tina was a prefect. The next year was also filled with faines, country singing, cocktails, and long castle duty nights but so far she's lived happily ever after...\* Tina, Babe I don't know what I'd do without you, so many memories to never forget, never change T&B 4ever. Becks Times I'll never forget: "P" Internet men wanting more... Friday Nights (e.l.), throwing rocks at sleeping men, late night chats, and Shania Twain ...(j.dh) rocked skating, chapel confrontations, every night movie nights and the stock shift (c.r.), 9.00 shots, underwear faines and shimmying sheets and dir nken V-days and too much more... (b.b.), 2hours in Denny's... do you guys remember the dance?... I don't, silent sips (j.f.), limo night, rooming with crazy Andrea and her many men, Calc w/ m.j. XOnTheBeach, Miss. PersonalityLESS, "Please God make me a bird so I can fly far, far away!", racing to Brown Hall and Chinese (c.a.), kissing on SAM, big truck rides and McGill dreams (m.d.) Milli Vanilli two, fuzzy wuzzy carpet ads (b.b.k.w.) Gilligan's Isle(CR'96), angel baby, Silver Star, "I will sunvive!", & ch. x.e. X.e. J.f., k.w., mt.a.s. and b.h.. "WE Survived!" (Jacks & Heather ...if only...???)

"Don't bend over backwards to please anybody, unless you're sure someone will be there to catch you when you fall..."



#### Robert Bateman



I wasn't sure what was more appropriate. "It is impossible to enjoy idling thoroughly unless one has plenty of work to do." (Jerome K. Jerome), or "It is almost impossible to over-estimate the unimportance of most things." (anonymous), or maybe even "I always have a quotation for everything - it saves original thinking." (Dorothy L. Sayers).

### Rebecca Bazzard

Becky came to SMU a hard core islander from Saltspring. The pretty but suprisingly tough islander quickly became as M.T. said "just one of the guys." She's picked up a quirky mix of friends, nearly all whom she's loved dearly. The next School Ties (and most likely everyone hereafter) will no doubt feature Becky on the cover for she is the spitting image of the model participate- in-everything-aspect-of-boarding-aspire-to be-a-prefect-2-inches-above-the-kinee-never-miss-home-room-never-complain S.M.U. student. ... right Becks? Actually she would have been more than a P. P. for she was a P project. Her memories.

-my inocent roomy, Connie (grade 10,11) and my not so innocent roomy Brigd (grade 12, in the same damn room.) "The 10's MI,JD fuzzy stary, wait for me, council free CW. Rapunsle let down your long hair, sleeping in bushes. Pee green 7th Case luv ya "the broken beamer." The 4 B's, lutional FIRE marshal, crazy SSI times. Mexico with Sara R. E. V. R. O. E. Black, listed Brigd were breakin loose, i'll miss ya Watch for hearts with arrows, the summersTT, stoke let, args urfin. The Buzz connection, underwear faines TB Thanks 4 the times I love ya. Ilmo night. My Mexican gods, One dumb jock, Mitz-fell me my fortune, Jacks wild. C-sing-C. SS-1 MD, End up like Water-sking eh, RB, ELEE there's no-one quite like ya The C, Mul initiation Co, car doors. Busted...ops did I say that...spinning infirmary. Gilligens fuzzy wuzzy carpets, To-kill- ya- AH babes 4-ev, Go Ish MT my hero-Thanks 4 the 2nd Home. JF, LUVIC. missions, accidental driving-sorry bout the volvo. KW your the best. Falling folmie's spinning, rivers Then the Boys now THE GIRLS. My Winslow buds thanks for the times JD.CA,TB,EL, DL,SO, SP,BH, CS I will survive, it's been fun my friends I luv, the rest of vas-68 ST. K."

-You light up life Becks, never lose the blue beads nor your spontaneous bursts of craziness. "I'm ready" -Kasurin

Becks I love you for your spontanetty, your constantness & your dreaming. Thanks for keeping me above reality! You da best B+T 4-ever if you ever looking for Becks, you! Trips

Becks, Flecks, Shmecks. Wow what a run we've had. You and me babe, we flipped the cradle. It was great at times. We got to destroy a perfectly good German car.





## Bianca Besenvo

To the people who helped me enjoy my stay at SMU...

"If I ever get real nch I hope I'm not real mean to poor people like I am now".

Deep Thoughts, Jack Handey

And to all those that I loved and those that I didn't feel quite so sweetly about, I hope you are all successful in life....just not as successful as me.

## Nicholas Blumberg

Pueeees..

I'd like to start by thanking PF and his long, long feet. Robin Rednose too. SC, RG J.C.Yuuupeeeee for providing us with insiteful information on Barrhead. Vlad the impaler McVie,RG and all those others who put up with me AM for all times of big fun. <br/>degenerates into inside jokes> The Mooth is on fire. Ansuz sucks... . NanSang and his great one liners...What, you are crazy...pictures in my pants?!?! COONNAAAAN!!!! wheres my 10 Dolaaaaaaaaaaaaaaaaaaa, your head is full of mush. Kap'n K., Roboto,

Frax, Milk, Kwanivicci....MadMan, Macro(Bon), DemoTutor, Stche & Brice the honeymooners, Dicky'nD and the Big Tie.. Rightt wooooo Friiiiiiiisk <cough> <hack> <wheeze> Welsh is the language of Hades....

dedicated to the memory of the Batmobile and Stephenopolous McRae!

(the end) cool mo dee?





#### Rachel Boult

Holey 6 years BOOM! Two words, Skin,; light house. Mitch: squockey chockey, (isn't it ironic?). Whit: our little secret Maria: mission 'haste la vista baby'. Lucy pweeeeep' Case the lark: Dam dat was ugly. The fun began at the gir's velentines dance w' Jamie. I miss you Henry and Di. Thank-you Mr. Jackson and Mrs. Skinner I flove you. But most of all, my girls. Mitch. Whit. Skin. Case. Mana. Lucy. No shame. I love you guys with all my heart even though you think I'm picky-which I'm not, but I don't care cause Jerlee and Michael will make it all okay. "One day the world will be ready for you, and wonder how they didn't see"-E. (and so I wait.)."

My major achievement at SMU had to be J.M. and also when Rivers kissed me: Nov. 7, 1996. And Krist. Cayman was heaven. I live in a world where nothing is junk, cookies are forever, it's normal to meet the band, and there's always music. Also, sleep will get you through all your pain. Yea, I'm a nerd, and so are you, but I'm an angel too. Thanks everyone. I loved a lot of you here, some of you knew I did, but some of you had no idea. So, to every one of you beautiful boys and girls, remember me. With love; your little Pepsi.

a Bachet rap
Rachet is cool and she knows
that means you don't have to tell her so
she has blue har and she likes the amps
once a month! I think she gets cramps
she plays bass and thats really ACE
and if you don't shutup she'll shove it in yr face
she wear's a blue shirt cause she likes the smurfs
you better believe it, murph
oet down

# Kimberly Bourne

I came to SMU in grade 7 where I made fast friends with ST. I remember after school rumbles with DW and EF. Time passed and senior school came to be. Grade 9 brought the faces of CL and JK. BB (Bure-Smith) always remember harassing Mrs. McLeish in Math class and our fantasy about PB (not Peter B) TL, and CK and many more.Oh yeah! Jason!!!!(don't worry, you'll get him) GO GO JOE! (be careful of the creepy grabbers in New York City!) ... KC-BH rocks (just hold your head!!) so does RC.. Paul Smith is not Russian! Damn Knsti! KMc mmmmm...(trust me I will mment for one one of the control state from your nears) as does not a real strength and included in the fail of many him) see you in White Rock. KB my twin for life, CM. "YOUR EARRING!" AM=KG. Starbucks anyone? SA chugging contest!! Mitz and LW- TONTO LIVES!! remember... "You are great!!" and who could forget, and I quote, "Boozers are loosers!" CMc- the list, you made the list #6! AARONI CSM- I will miss you the most, GG- I still want my money. RI & JI-beach guys rule (Dave) To NI- I love you lots! As for DD and JV What can I say? You guys made grade 12...very interesting. GA I really admire your courage to stand by those ducks! ha ha!! To VP- I depend on you, do you depend on me? JP, SABA!! SKITTLES! To the NYC crew and Mr and Mrs B, thanks for the best time of my life. (we still should have kept Matt ) To my family: Tony thanks for keeping me on my toes and letting me go to parties, Can: thanks for the support, and to my Mom: thanks for putting up with me for 18 years...get used to it because I'm not leaving for awhile. To the rest of my friends, I wish you all the luck in the future. I leave you all with these words of wisdom. "If you're not afraid...if you take everything you are.. everything worthwhile in you...and direct it at one goal ..one ultimate mark...you've got to get there." James Dean.



#### Joel Bowman

My one year at SMU went very quickly. I have a lot of good, (and not so good) to remember, thanks to crew D.D. - ruinage, program, sub's volvo, walls, shopping at your store, berries, dork #4, Somalian airlines. G.F. (former lambi posse) thank your pops for being 4 for 4 showing up, who's a bad influence? G.G. -betrayer of subs, thank for gift under bed, good fight with Mc. D's manager . J.V. - shopping you know where, porn stars, Baxter the dog (the alligator was ugly anyway). D.S.-playing hoops. helmet & roller blades in car rally. C.M. - Cacks at Mc's, my modified table. G.T. (Theme song required here)- you're the whole show, see you in the majors. C.L.- talking in math, cruisin in spares. R.M. -physics & chillin. E.F.- teepee at cattle point many missions of getting to Mc. D's. S.H.- you're lucky I wasn't eligible for b-ball cause you know you'd be getting my water, or recording my stats (many of them in the points scored category). M.T. are you strapped? D.A. laughing at inside jokes she doesn't know, riding shotty in the Datsun. Goodbye to the grade 11's and any other friends I've missed. E.L-I'll remember your face. I'd also like to thank my non-SMU friends, my mom, and family. See You all Later ....

## Michelle Butler

Mee-shell my belle. The gall we rely on for up to the minute trends. From your short perm in grade three to your red zig-zag. M.A.C. has gotten you and the rest of the girls through it all. The good days of Mickey B to the better days of Mitch. These days you have found out that Sam is not so Silent. You girl, are known for a few things, the best legs at SMU, Evilest eye in town, prefect defect, and the second biggest butt on the hammock. You and your leopard print, the sun, Afrika, Barbie. Megabyte and Hard Drive and their cradie robbing "projects" Michelle, you keep your hands away from your mouth and we'll remember what you say. "We're here for a good time not a long time so have a good time, the sun will shine every day." You're beautiful. We love you

For my friends:

Rachel, my angel. We love the young ones, and we will always have fun in the sun or in the snow

Lucy, the image of beauty in your sequined lilac. We have laughed and cried and just think, three down, four to go and I am catching up fast Whitney, you, me and the chronic sh-1, a dynamite combination Radiohead, and surfer girls will always be remembered. Through chaos and misfortune, friendship

Maria, the sweetest, fastest talking friend I have. Wacky and wild, Saltspring style. The only reason you look so small is because you're standing next to Superman. Casey, skinny chicken with a broken heart. Thank God for your van! The savior of many a party!

Kath, congrafs, WO-MAN Summers belonged to your house Cayman and the Lake, we have shared each other's havens'

Dave, my "infimidating" and preppy friend. Thanks for the climbs. If only we had known



#### Edward Callendar

"A little learning is a dangerous thing" A. Pope. Surprisingly enough, I survived five LONG years. Grade 8 was full of craziness; T.S., J.S., and E.H. Cecilia made my grade nine year! What happened to the yellow jacket????? Smirnoff and camping on Mt. Tolmie. If a cow breaks out laughing... does milk come out of its nose? Surf's up, dude! The truth comes out at J.F.'s condo. G.T. don't forget to buy me a car when you're making 7 digits. Bo-Jo continues his reign of terror. Late nights of pasta and wine with M.P. and K.P. will not be forgotten. R.B., maybe diving or water skiing sometime, next Christmas? Rock 'n' Bowl with J.D. Thanks to all of my friends for everything.

### Sean Carrie

With an insanity bred in him by years of being a Red Sox fan (not to mention incidents such as Buckner's error in the '86 series), and, laugh as you will, as a proud ex-Calgarian, Sean came to the school in grade 10 and immediately felt at home among the likes of Sarah Inouye, Simon Grant, et.al. With events such as the triumph of the Harlem Pancakes and the unexplained disappearance of Dr. Beach fresh in mind, he set off to live in Tokyo for not nearly long enough and became a Pokka coffee addicted Japanophile. Sean begrudgingly wended his way back to our barbaric continent and again settled into a less interesting life, punctuated by events such as the Swift, hiking, hiking, sleep shifts in Physics (Jupe got the short end of the Eunuch), and more hiking. For all his amazing friends here, plus the Mooth, a quote from Chuang-tse: One day, Chuang-tse was sitting by the banks of the P'u river when he was approached by two representatives of the prince of Ch'u, who offered him a position at court. Chuang-tse sat expressionless, watching the river as though he had not heard. Finally, he spoke: "I am told that the prince has a sacred tortoise, over two thousand years old, wrapped in silk." "That is true", the officials replied. "If the tortoise had been given a choice", Chuang-tse continued, "do you think he would have preferred to be alive in the mud, or dead within the palace?" "To have been alive in the mud, of course", said the men. Without hesitation, Chuang-tse replied: "I too prefer the mud, good-bye".







#### Katherine Chan

Kat arrived at the ivy-covered kingdom of SMU five years ago, becoming a member of the last grade eight class to roam the grey halls of the Racquet Club. Life went on as usual until one day in grade ten, the lunch room was mysteriously annexed by the math department. From then on, she could often be in the yellow and orange (???) halls of Challoner. Half a decade later, she leaves St. Mike's with this condensed list of memories ~ Starbucks, anyone? Hmmm, AMc = KG??? Are we all campy hampers? Save the goldrish. Paul Smith is NOT Russian!!! (I'm zee best!) To HT: my best bud. Luv ya lotz. Just a little reminder, roof jumping is hazardous to your health! Cheung Hok Yau. Way over! Never forget P—. To KB: (Eternity) II doit, eh?? The "bible". I am NOT a caffeine-holic. To the batcave! Mrowr. To KB: (my locker buddy) The Camival. BH, BH, BH, (my head, my head!) KMc (see ya in White Rock) and RC...\*nuff said. Kristi who?? SUGAR!!! To SA: My name is Hans and I'm from Germany. Car rallies and shopping carts. To CN: L&C rox. We survived francais! Don't forget the stories. To CM: the grand old Madagascar Navy. Bar Bar Bar. Shotgun! To GA: It's hunting season! Swoopy hair. To AD: my fishie fnend, beware of the Marshmallow People, OEA OEO. To the rest of Grad '97: Best of luck to all. "To you from failing hands we throw the torch. Be yours to hold it high."

## Tina Chiu

- x: friendz, romanz, country wo(men)z finally, time to kick tina out
- z: remind me to write it in my calendar so i'll remember to miss her
- x: excuse me! have you got the permission to miss her? if not, you better hurry!
- z; how and where and when in hell can i gain it?
- x: don't move your memory into hell, but save it in your computer!
- z: what if virus destroy my H drive?
- x: tough life; tough problem
- how about writing her letters once in a while?

she'll remember to remind you from million mile! her address: Tina whatsoever Crazy (or Tina C is fine) pregnant nun's room, Anne's Green Gable Newspaper pnncess' realm, X-country trail some where close to hell ... Earth, Solar system, ... Cosmos, Love.

...ah, and she will also remind you to miss Grad'97and others..

z: as far as French is not yet proved to be a lie I should still have the right to replace all these places with "y", can't I?





**Emily Clough** 

Bye-ya!

## Jennifer Coelho

Jen entered SMU in grade eight and soon became one of our scholars. She has contributed her talents to this school through peer counselling, rowing, bowling and also by playing the flute in the Concert Band. Next year she plans to attend UBC to study sciences, with an interest in medicine.





# Alisa Cooper

Over the river and through the woods, I trekked my way and landed at SMU in 1994. From the unknown of Klimat as the Klimat Warnor, I lasted through the beats and waterlights to eventually see the end of the trail. With Rachel as my guide, I made it through Science 10, Robin's party, and obtained the power of the water weenie. My journey was made even better with the encounter of "the gang", Dee, Stonze and Robin. Another year deeper in the forest, Andrea and her remedies I was off! October rolled around and I encountered a steep hill conquered with Becky by my side. With a raging river over the edge, and a dead battery, sixteen candles was celebrated at the top of the infamous hill. From then on the days of "I don't want to go to Physics!", Carnie, pool, Mission:Impossible, and was concluded with the hotseat of 314. The New Year rolled in and out with the adventures in Richmond and that "other" jeep. While Seattle chats, Oklahoma hoedown, water towers, the hawk, dance parties in 307, and the Metchosin adventure completed the second leg of the trek. As the heat rolled in, so did the hats of Willie's puddle, seedoos, and the power of the jeep. The end of the trail is near, but will never be forgotten with my crew(JC, LW, AH, MD). In true greatness, we are never fully prepared", Jen and I making History ourselves, planet rejections, and that "white" explorer. As my great adventure is almost complete, I would like to thank some very important people who helped me through some of the more difficult parts of the path. Mum and Dad, without you loculd not have made it without you and your support. Vanessa: our chats have meant the world to me. What am I going to do without you next year?! Dee and Stonze, you have made my years here so great with all the laughs, I love you guys!!...JAM! Rachel and Andrea: long weekends, sleepovers, you are the best Coile...pro skier, skater/v-baller/soccer..what more can I say...You're beautiful!! Jen.Ford...Big white here we come! Jenn...bring on the host!!

## Whitney Davis

Grad 97 is so cool!!! The fun times and good friends will never be forgotten. Hove everyone of you. To LM, LR, D-C-P, CE, JP, JS, JH, & Derek. I miss you all a lot and wish you were still here at good of SMU. Grade 9 was super cool: Jacqui and Ria- getting kicked out of a certain someone's certain class every day to go play ultimate with A.F. etc. So as we progress into grade 10, the every-weekend thing begins: Fun fun fun at Kath's. Not to mention the billet weekend- giddy up diggedy dog! Bo, I wonder If you will ever find a moment funner than Darrel Farrels science class!? Jen Ford you are definitely, definitely a good driver. That was a grirrreeeaeaaattit shot just about sums up field hockey, but of course huuuge thanks to Nancy, Jeff and of course lan and Arden. There are also a few other adult figures that I would like to thank for making school enjoyable: Mr. Leggat, Mrs. Skinner, Mr. J, and Mrs. Humphreys. Y all are so cool. Lauren-Cream Soda is killer, and so are your cut-and-paste collages. To Lor, just remember the story necklaces—need I say more? Rachel, Richard, Rachet, (Rikki)- where can I begin? The retarded glasses, the cold KD, etc... You know Mana a k.a. F.F. or cobweb, that was a blast. "Little people know and little people grow." Kath what can I say you are forever my saint of goodness (and badness). Oh yeah, congrats. Wowl Mitchel- yes yes the """. La Jolla was the bomb. RH rocked. Surfer girlies, yeah. Case: Summer before grade 10 was radical dude! Sooke pot holes, top o'the wax museum. A.P. was s-d-c! Wow! Remember to always tell the truth! CL: a d-good destination. Anyway, a word to the wise: If it's not Scottish it's crap!!!





#### Jennifer De Haan

Lots of love to all my friends who made life just a little more bearable. Clutz, you clean house! (not really) Beat, Buh Beat. Tuna, P.B + crackers. Becks, Wait for me! I gotta go too! Mitz, you saved my @\$\$! Enn's original stain/design. Ness, you are my sunshine! Coops: I.D., right? B\*tc\* fest '96. Anytime, anyplace, (Y.M., M.I., T.B., C.A., C.Z., S.O.) WINSLOW ROCKS! MI.I., B.B., you guys remember our grade ten escapades and adventures? Andy: pressure points at C.P's? K.D. and B.H., we all HATE Volkswagons and poodles! E.C. + M.P., you two are too coo!! Freddie, I'll never forget you. Pils, you give me warm fuzzies! Garth, well, you're just plain awesome! Albert, you'll make history! John, I'll always love you from the bottom of my heart, bro. Thanks to my Mom and Dad for giving me the opportunity to live through these memories. And now, some thoughts to ponder:
"Maybe in order to understand mankind, we have to look at the word itself: "Mankind". Basically, it is made up of two separate words-"mank" and "ind". What do these words mean? It is a mystery, and that's why so is mankind."

"Jack Handey" "Perhaps, if I am very lucky, the feeble efforts of my lifetime will someday be noticed, and maybe, in some small way, they will be

Mitsuru Delisle

TWO YEARS OF CHAOS: "Where's my CM bottle." Jen P./Murph. ab-lab, skids, Kiss, motown, Pen-tac-tin-tip, + "penny 4 your thoughts". "Anita, give Lora-lee(Romeo + Juliet) the recipel" Hard-core Rowers. Boarding. Old pals(as hashish), who III always remember(U know who U R). D - Stonz(hell on wheels), Liw y'a guys. "Do you have any ID?" Bowing 4 the shirt? The originalis mo, EA(Van), EY (Sarah), RS(tro), Idols + Idols: J-T(dad), BY(best h), Helen/Heaven + D, Poter, Unity-Diversity, VY, JD. AC, CA + Ab of Steel. Lingle + McRae. Cabo 4 ever. Twins, "Ambuler", MP, Bianrika, KB, Visas + NY MD, the best cousin ever - "Just swim!" TB(Milli/Vanilli), RF, RG + McGill, SMUI soul crew (swims) with mummy Walinga, "The oar that moves my boat". SJ, HT, etc., Campbell River + good times.Impossible missions with RI. Europe(daze) "95. AC, KL, Sydney + walks that never end. Beck-Fest(Saltspring + Palm Reading)! BE YOURSELF! Hampster's first party - "On not We killed him!" China Hung + the big truck Elk Falls. DH+CNI(80's 4ever). "no-no-Rickli" Keth + Mar/in in room 109: Limbu, Yan(angel eyes), Deuce, help in a bottle, tear/similes, but mostly smiles(I'll never forget U guys, I can'tl). Dear Abbie-whie: Disney! Laughter! Freedom! Justice! Jen Ford(Grad date) U R out of control! Galapagos: AH, LW, RM, DA, RB, etc. Wild nights in the Andes. Rock - Chalk(bag). Virgin's "97 camp-out with glow-bill. "Silent Sam"(Note: I coined this phrisse). Dazed at Denny's. The skate that never comes(sorry Kim). LW. KB + Tonto: "Martin, wake up, it's midnight." BJ = alien. MK, and talks that nobody remembers. Harvey boys (SL, IW, DS, MJ). Chassed by crazed bacon on beach drive(JD's "nap-sack"). PowerBars + Boost Park-life(GyrorTolmie). Navigator Brigd(Where the hell R we?). Sheny((wheels). Dynasty) (H)Ash? Peter, Binocha, and the grave-yard World Power! Never a dtill moment - Thank-U + I'll miss U, but never forget U. Stay Gold! Mixt, the dtiz/Blue chip thin thermove buffDL Jr/Sarc/Fluvog King. Delisle.

acknowledged as the greatest works of genius created by man."





# Sendjaja Desember

It has been a long three years at SMUS and the boarding house. Full of fun and sad experiences throughout the years. But after all, it is almost the end of the high school life. We are all going to get a new life, a different life from now. Even though each of us has a different destination but we shall still remember each other, and in the next ten years hopefully we will have a wondrful reunion of Grad '97. But it is still a long way to go. Whatever will happen in the future I will never forget what the teachers and friends have done for me. At last I will say good bye to everyone and best of luck to you all.

## Darek Dziewanski

Well... I'm finally outty. My sentence is over. It's been a long, long road but it's finally over and I'm off to bigger and better things. There is no way that I would have made it without my doggs, so I'd like to say what's up to a few people, G.G., \$3110 and counting, stop by my store sometime, G.F., you know you're kurrupt, choose your friends wisely, J.B., ruinage,sorry about the walls, and remember "we the last one's left" J.V., keep on cartin' and give me a small cak!, E.F., see you at Mcdonald's and next year we'll make an even bigger sculpture, C.M., we've had a lot to talk about, keep eatin' that feta and comin' up with those hunchchoppiing "Skyros styles", harubdubdube, we got blamed for it all but we're still pimpin', R.M., the other Greek malaka, how's my valentine?... yo moma!, D.S., "this is gettin' crazy, control it", keep comin' up with that conjur magic, D.A., you can laugh now, good luck with the revolution's. I'm on your side and keep on ballin. Word!, C.L., you got a dope ride, but stay away from those chinese carrots and keep that St.Par's tradition going, R.C., that's a pimpin' tooth you got, your the last daddy left so use it wisely, C.L., whipped cream, nuts and cherries at willows, snob and that's a nice jeefka you got there, C.K., keep on telephone bookin' it but stay away from that scope, G.T. you really are a circus... do you want to join that club now? Of course a special thank you goes out to my parents, who put up with all the things I did and didn't disown me. I almost forgot thanks to all the staff that was so anxious to get rid of me.... picture me rollin'! Peace!





### Rae-Anne Ebl

To all the girls, lite without you would never hive been the same KEL(you hippopotamus) and MV (you lion), animals forever, and may karaoke be heard for many years to come. You guys have blessed my lite with your presence and advice. I'll miss you next year, VY, thanks for always being there for me. Our 4am studying sessions will be remembered by the halls and the walls, as well as our late night talks. Most of all thanks for all the advice. Now to JF, you have filled my life with laughter for many years now. From ten chocolate bars, to your flexibility and airm. The summers will never be forgotten, neither will our talks about T, G, C, M, R, and A, and our mission can never be impossible in Wille's Puddle. AC, The blue ball returns, everything will be A-O-Kay! Stampede was a hoot, and Trevor say's, "See you later Coop's!" VP and RG, thanks for everything, especially the talks. You guys are sweethearts. I don't understand MP, can't you speak English. By the way what did we always talk about that we could go on forever? Anyway, all the best in your future endeavors. Thanks EC and MP for the snowball awakenings, but I swear it was a bird still (Right KEL) Mrs.B, thanks for the advice that allowed me to make it through the year. I can never thank you enough for all the opportunities. I © you. To everyone else I forgot, sorry. But thanks for the memories, they will be cherished for a lifetime.

Oh, by the way boys - may the snowballs fly
© Rae-Anne (a.k.a Gretta)
PS- Aim at the sun, and you may not reach it, but your arrow will fly
far higher than if you aim at an object on a level with yourself. (Joel Hawes)

## **Edward Fairhurst**

Ed was released on SMU in grade 1 and was a good little boy until he discovered hormones. After this, he was thrust into a life of partying which also included the occasional use of blue, woolly scarves. Here are some of Ed's closest friends and how he'll remember them: Dicks and Stewy-Hey, let's go get BH, JU- Let's go see Freddy and SADI(casual), AA- If the liquor store will take my dad's credit card, then we're in business, CL-You weekzert, PB- Ming sai po Empre Hotel?, GG- How's it going MANI, JL- You can do whatever you want, as long as you clean up, MD- Hey, that's pretty funny, pbbbbt! And how could I ever forget Spazz(SL), the Rodgeman, Mike, Lauren, Chris- the best, the best! and of course AJ whom without, I would not be around today. I love you. Extra memonies: The spaceship, ecoms, 4th floor BR SH, New Gym BR, JL- jumping out of windows, the dungeon, scuse me sir do you have free cents, seizures at Austin's, 24-7 rugby to up money I'm down money, Gled's and Ed's- the bathroom wall, 9 people in a VW Bug = chunky wet leg, Willy's mighty moccasins, poop deck encounters, HERE'S THE CULPRIT! and 13 R&C= Karioke, just given we the b—you stupid ——, McD runs with Derek(daily), Bowman- the life of the party/jumping jacks for burgers), Spicer- setting a 17 year old record. For all my fiends, cool luck, see va round; for people who don't like me. I'll call you when I'm famous.





## Robin Featherstone

Robin in a fiesty blond who strives for the perfect hair cut. When she isn't squeezing her rubber carrot, or perfecting her Bielmann spin. Robin can be found doing the CHA-CHA at the Copacabana. Robin excels at throwing Lucky Charms while in a sleeping bag coccoon, and attracting weirdos off the street. The Saucy Tots taught Mikey that suicide just isn't worth it and that MUDD does the brain some harm. At SilverStar, Robin spent a large part of the trip with the shower and the fan on, as well as feasing the boys in the hof tub. Robin's goal in life is to see how many people she can throw out of Durance Lake, and strives to be the MAPPIEST HAM ALIVE! Robin leaves the school saying "Bah, Nah, Tah".

Thank for everything Rohs. D.H.

## Graham Fedorak

A refugee from Lambi in the public school system I arrived in these hallowed halls in grade 11 and have never been the same since. Alone and alraid I was quickly befriended by a talkative Greek boy who introduced me to a Polish socundrel with indestructible hair. Unavoidably I was corrupted in a matter of days, and the sweet, shy boy who had arrived at SMUS was no more. Seeing that life at SMUS had the potential to be very boring I quickly reacted joining a consortium of new students with similar anti-establishment tendencies. Joined by an escaped circus performer who did his act in rightfield in the summertime we went about making life more interesting. In the fall I dribbled a soccer bail down the field but it wasn't enough. I decided to try my hand at bouncing a bail. This led to three months of picking spinlers out of my ass and a love for basketball that was to be short lived. January to June were the black months, when a malevolent evil controlled my life with a spiked whip and will not be spoken of henceforth. In the intervening summer I pursued my professional baseball dream only to be thivarted by a malignant ankle. As my Grade 12 year rolled about I possessed a new confidence and surety in my surroundings. Also my old friend JB had escaped the clutches of Lambi and joined me. Apparently he had quite a night of festivities, although I was there I don't quite remember......, D.D's employment at Kmart equaled discount prices for our small clain, with their generosity rivalled only by the tuck shop's. Writing this in December I know that the best is yet to come, but it has already been fun. Thanks to M.P. for the putting up with me while I complain about my problems (your taste in music has rubbed off). D.D.-picture me rolling. C.M.-don't take the joke to fair. J.V.+G.-a couple of players. G.T.-whipped. D.S.-we rule the soccer field. J.B.-you gotta learn your limit. Thanks to all the people who've made my stay at SMU an enjoyable one and thanks to my parents for routing up with me.





#### Jennifer Ford

"Jen Ford Here"..."Long time no talk!" At the beginning of grade 10, I jumped on the horse and buggy and trekked down to civilisation. I left all the great memories and friends of Willie's Puddle to seek a fresh start. Grade 10 was full of fun-loving times. "Tea Time", Woody, JOT, GJ I'll get you one day. Garibaldi 2 times over. Grade 11 started off with a "Whoa Nelliet!" "Hey Millar, is your brother a prop?", dance parties in 316... I love Saturday nights. Friendship with Karen and Claire. Halloween rolled around and the Statue of Liberty rose...(and fell). Oklahoma's cast party...To all of you there....I didn't aim then fire, I fired then aimed! I will forever be a member of PA (aka procrastinator's anonymous). Our Graduating Year. A year of no JFH, sneakouts, where are we going to have GRAD??? Car rallies, "HAKA" warrior, grad tablecloth, pro bowling. To all my friends I've made — thank you for the millions of laughs. You all hold a place in my heart, you know who you are! Ness - I still can't put my sheets on. Lauren - you are THE best roommate. Karen - for laughing, for crying, for sharing, for smilling - thanks. Gret - too many moments to list here, I treasure them all though. Andrea - you are definitely nuts. Whit - I'm a great driver don'tcha think. Michelle, Kath, and Rachel - you gals are beautiful. Michelle ...we did it babe! Keith - you make a grand Santa. Becky - so what did you do this weekend??? Tina - great times, lots of laughs...can't remember what they are! Matt - it's not an igloo...it's a teepee! Stonze & Coops - Willie's Puddle Boot Stompin' Stampede — YEEHAW! Megan - drink a little bush. Carys - where would I be without TEA? Mitz - for more than a million laughs — you are outta control!!! My Timmis Sisters - thanks for the 3 years of memories. Mrs. Cook - my "mom away from home". To my mom and dad...a million thanks for the opportunities, the experience, for being there for me 24/7/365...l love you! Mike - the car, the condo, you are grrreatt!! Chris - for the weekends when I needed to escape...and my midnight project tutoring. Julie - live life to its fullest. SooJin - you are the best...I wish you could've shared the experience. I leave you with, "Don't fall into the trap of everyday life...Be original, live a little!!!" Later Alligator.

## Patrick Frisby

Well, it took seven long years of blood, sweat and tears, but I can finally declare with pride that I made it. Yes, I have learned how to tie my own tie. Thank you to all who believed in me.

To be serious though, I could possibly do justice to all the events and all people involved in my strife at this school over the last seven years in this tiny write up. Thank you to my teachers for their understanding and support, and thanks to my friends for helping to create so many memories both bad and good. With that, I close and burn the book on my life at SMUS. Well, I'd like to thank my friends A,B,C and D for all the memories, see ya round E, F and G! Ever lend money to H, I, J, or K, you'll get it back (if you know what I mean). L, M and N are just crazy guys who will be missed, but not as much as O, P, Q, R and S, If you're ever down, T, U and V will be there for you. W, X and Y I'll miss you all, but hey Z, who loves ya baby?

"A quote that I hope makes me look literate and clever" - a writer liked by others. See you in Hades, 'Freete!





# Rachel Gardiner

Rachum' came to SMU in the first grade, the picture of innocence. She was quickly molded into the ideal smu student, and has vague recollections of chickens and snowball detentions with RF. She soon learnt the ways of the world in grade 9 with her introduction to SMU cast parties. The last three years brought AC and AH which led to post dance traditions in Timmis and 3 am prefect meetings in 316. The honorary boarder has shown her talents as a musician, a devoted prefect (can I borrow your tie?) and as a defender on the first XI field hockey team. Known for her obsessions with jeeps, chocolate and the wrong pyjama pants, she is easily recognized by her 'thinking face'. Rachel's many memories at smu will never die, especially: breaking the car(s)...bravol...making statements with V...brass undies (Oklahoma)...patience is a what?...the good the bad and the mikes...doesn't that music just make you want to dance?..."I'm not saying a word!"...omniousoddness ...waterfights ...serenades ...cmos ...chem shots...talks with MP(both of you) and JD(clammy)...CA(my twin)...and dreams of McGill with Mtz. Always remember, follow you instinct and live simple.

## Glen Gibbons

Glen's carreer at SMU consisted of great times. J.V. and i playing the allmighty point game. Darek introducing me to the DD store for all those great discounts. E.F. for all the turbo you gave me seeyah man!! J.H thanks for the nde. J.B. i left a present under the bed at your party (A.S. and me). I will meet Omega and Galieth(C.L.) this year. J.V. breaking my watch strap with A.T. next time take it off. All the good BBall times with C.L. in Gr11 and this year with (E.F., S.H.,T.S. M.D. C.N.) The car rally and the McCdonalds incident with the manager, The tee-pee Ed. Dan, Joel, Kat, Myself, were in at the car rally. E.F., J.V.,D.S.A.T., J.U., at J.A. house out on her deck all messed up @ 1PM. Peace to all the cool GR 11 (M.D., T.S., C.N., S.T.) and the failure C.K. The DADDY's have left the building (J.V., E.F., and Me) End of an era. R.C. you are the last one. The dance in 96 i never quite made it to because of a run in with 5.0. 96 Grads for the use of their houses. J.L. helping me score the double wammy at his party (C.P and M.?.). johnny U. Your parties were great and your house was useful. For those who are successful we will meet again, for those who are nickel and dimers see yah wouldnt want to be yah! Thanks Jeff for helping me make it through the 2 years at SMU. Besides that i would like to thank no one else but MYSELF. WE SURVIVED JEFF!!!



# Hayley Gibson

There is no way I could sum up 9 years at SMU in a paragraph, but these are some of my most memorable experiences: Washing chunks off a pillow at Cattle Point with ST and AJH. DeviTs Crevice... The whack-the-tent incident on Piers with AJH. Craison to trelllini, deep fried craisons, craisons with green eggs and ham... (BB's favorite snacks). 007 girls with JI and RI. Finding various entertaining uses for mashed potatoes with Earson. STs minks-on-a-string. Would you rather... Escaping with AJH from the clutches of the dreaded n.h. Ruffles sour cream 'n onion chips on a comer with ST at 12:30 a.m. Ehab from rehab. Hand over the cookie recipe, Anta... Late night philosophical discussions with ST. The Emerald Isla. JC...why didn't you just jump over the wood pile, or walk around it? Rumble from the top bunk in the ski lodge. Bass de hay-vever bills blease, JM. Pranks involving a wig, a doorstep, and a video camera. ELVIS. I have come out of my time at SMU with lots of good memories (and some bad ones) and only minor scarring from an unfortunate paintball accident. There have been many people to help me out along the way including my two best friends Sarah and Anita. Mr. Harns who got me going on math, and my mum and dad who are so supportive of everything I do. Thanks. My plans for the future include spending next vear in France, taking over the family cranberry farming business, and practicing my bil. Best of luck to everyone!

#### Patrick Gill

In the end, all will be irrelevant, but do not weep: life is valuable for its content, for life itself. The bad will be a foil for the good. "Bad" and "good" are relative. The joy in life will come from perception itself, not from content.

I came to SMU in grade seven. I was often perceived as being academic, but really I am just intense. I will remember chamomile tea, hobnobs and camping. I love music, nature and the persuit of truth. When I leave SMU, I won't play by the unwritten rules.

A big thank you goes to all my friends who tolerate my insane ramblings and untempered idealism. It's a big world.

Go get 'em!





## Rohanna Green

A little gnomess frm the woods Bright-eyed and full of delight Goes to school to see what grows there. And so she watches... everything.

Twelve years later, she looks up And realizes school is out for the day. "She moves on..." Who am I? Just a gnome, Carrying in my cap the mind jungles you have Taught me. Tra la la... Well, the next jungle gym calls. Seeya later.
I'll skip the initials - you know who you are.
It's been awesome, guys.
Good luck!!!

## Devon Hahn

Her name was DEVON, she was a showgirl at the Copa, Copacobana! Devon Hahn is a taurus. She enjoys Lucky Charms, glow in the dark bikinis, and Braveheart. I LUVE YU! I AWHAYS HAN! Devon (a.k.a. Demon), our little pornme de terre, can usually be found pampering and obsessing over her stuffed bear Muffy (who has about a thousand little outfits). Shawnigan Lake is Demon's home away from home. Her favourite pastime is throwing Lucky Charms at the neighbors while flailing in her sleeping bag. THE POLICE ARE HERE! WE'RE IN FOR IT! Devon has been perfecting her Bielmann spin and she hopes to present it at the Grad dinner dance. SilverStar will never be the same without Demon and the staff of the Vance Creek Hotel are really going to miss her. HEY! IF WE TAKE OUT THIS PLASTIC BARRIER, WE CAN ROLL IN THE SNOW IN OUR BATHING SUITS! Devon spent lots of time eating on the last trip and watching Charlie and the Chocolate Factory. The Umpa Lumpas still haunt Devon's dreams. But BOY oh BOY did she have a good time. Devon will one day have her own telethon but for now aspires to be THE MAPPIEST HAM ALIVE!



### Amber Hall

Amber Lynnette Hall migrated to Victona from Willy's Puddle at the beginning of grade 12, and has been waiting to leave ever since. This cowgirt has never quite gotten used to Victona's year long drought, and feels more at home on a ranch with her wranglers and plenty of horses to ride! Now that she is eighteen her trips to Calgary have become much more frequent (wonder why?)! In grade 11 there was the gomer patrol, and good stuff, which soon moved on to gornf, snaff and good deal when the patent wore out. Bulbi, B-man and the Butthead moved on to happier grounds, and we are now left with the Butl Rider. Then again there was the Blenz fellow, and good old whass name from John's place. Our weekly runs ceased to exist when the mono hit. (step away from that van) Then, there was the ever so interesting paunch fixation, and the constant prayers that Domino's & Orange Julius would live forever (and move to Williams Lakel)! The Singla mobile peels off as friends watch in horror...thank good for holy "#^% handles! The hysterical Forum calls will never be forgotten, followed by peas on the floor. (can't) you use a spoon?) Elevator music enyone? Timmy's Telethon during choir years hold a special place in our hearts, not to mention hysterical symphony runs (101 dalimatians, anyone?) Shuffling off to Buffalo was always a delight, and be sure to look out for that Rucky Rager! Then there were those friends that we had until they decided that something better had come along (or they chose to impress the rugby team) May Dolly's christmas album live forever in the hearts of all Timmis folk.... Ma chere AG; as far as I'm concerned, the mustang was more than justified! Here's to the beer mug of life that'll always be brimming with the good stuff (just don't try giving it to your Dogl) Your ever uncoordinated friend. Mizel!

# Jonathan Hampson

JONATHAN HAMPSON - Only two terms - what do I write about? Matts party, where else can I start. Thanks to all involved in an embarrassing night! (MD,JD,RE,VY,JF,TB,AH etc.) What a good start at a school! Where next? My French class - AP French has never been so much fun. 4 lines, 88% impressive huh, RG and VP- sorry I couldn't help it OK!

The Winslow/Barnacle foyer posse (CC,VG,DB,JB,LN,JH, not forgetting Merlin) where else could I meet such nice people! JW - I am not mean OK!

And to my room mate - thanks for starting the craze - Joooooooooohn (JV,GG etc)

Overall thanks to everyone that has made starting at SMU this year as easy as it has been, i've really enjoyed my time here.





# Yusuf Harsono

Yusuf came to S.M.U in 1992 from Indonesia as a boarder with poor English. He settled in Symons house and quickly picked up his English skills as he quickly made a lots of friends. However, he was a quiet boy until he met and became a roommate with FYMA in grade 10. He remembered the good time with JTB, SH, AY, CH, DL & DH in room #309 and #316 ie: partying at night such as playing cards, ordering pizza....etc.

Also he is going to miss activities with IT the tree, LL the itil man and to the Symons crew ( Cash, Fly, Moe, Si-Fu, Ah-Bae, FYMA, and Dragon the P.K dai-lo).



### Michelle Hau

Had I known the ominous sky of one September night of 1995 signalled the coming of "Little Mich"! Mich's Destiny with SMU has already begun. Being Mark Hau's (Grad '95) sister, she becomes quickly known and remembered by everyone. Tiny in size, better vet her enormous contribution at SMU makes her visible everywhere: Yearbook, Track and Field, Badminton, Band, Computer Lab, Biology Lab, Golf Course... As of her destiny, she meets SO who takes her as a rival in being "characteristic" (i.e. weird) yet humorous. Mich, being a very organized, keeps up getting high academic grades as well as being a all rounded student and consequentially has succeeded in being one of the most-liked prefect of Timmis House. Not only has she made so many friends, she manages to have "absolutely no enemy", - except when she momentarily arouses people's anger by cheering <--> teasing people running 2400m. Finally, a personal appreciation from 'you know who' for keeping good track of her (you know who) Guy h istory. It was worth "Choco-Pie"! Love ya forever and ever.





# Shingo Hirao

Shingo came into SMU in Gr.8 as an international student from Japan. His life at SMU was based on playing basketball and having fun with people. Although he was not a big Jap boy like Ryuske, he still made a basketball team for junior and senior team. He improved his skills by playing against the Oriental players(Sam, Wayne, Mark, Spike). Shingo's big change at SMU was after the arrival of CHUMMY in 93' Shingo became a bright boy and also he became bad. Soon, he became a prefect party club along with Funk, Babe, Fly. Moe, Rob, and Si-foo. In the room 217 was always a great fun after the exam. Shingo really enjoyed being with his buddies from Symons House(Mamac, STATE, Hilo, Skeleton, Dan, and Charles), along with Ryota, Kulapat, Snowball, Chink girl, Captain, and Risa. He will never forget the buzzerbeaper, midnight cooking class, and the activity with Bowman. SAYONARA.

## Anita Holtham

Rowing with Wallinga's Angels (including in the basement) - HAVE SOUL ... JC in the epileptic hat fit... HG - the nh, tent stalking at midnight, Cinderellen... ST-band, washing pillows in the ocean, LW - this is for you:

4/1/2 cups flour 4/1/2 cups oats 1 cup chocolate chips 3/4 tsp salt

1/1/4 cups margarine 2 tsp vanilla 3/4 cups brown sugar

3/4 cups white sugar

1/1/2 cups baking soda 3 eggs 12 mins at 425°C





#### Andrea Horsman

Andrea's SMUS adventure began as an eager grade ten ready to do anything. Throughout her experience she has met a variety of interesting creatures: CJ-How many words for wagini? Monkeys. Library display. Keep your hands to your self, that's it you're cut off. GS-Little bro. Take a break. Raspberry tea, Moist. Kat & Ali- Maintain your cool. JF- Monkey madness. Brad Pit uncensored. RB- look out the window (surprise), Party room 316. VL-you're gross. JD- snort snort, bench warming, CP's, AC-Tolmie, Priscilla, hold me! Free Falling, RG- Cruising in the buick, card games, mother voice, garlic salt, love letters, Casablanca or was it Gone with the Wind. Taking money out of the jar is nothing like jumping off a bridge, RG, AC, AH, always the three graces. All my girls, house raids rock, Timmis Taboo. Thanks for the memories everyone, and to my grade eleven Spanish class I'll always be dreaming of you.

### Alice Hsi

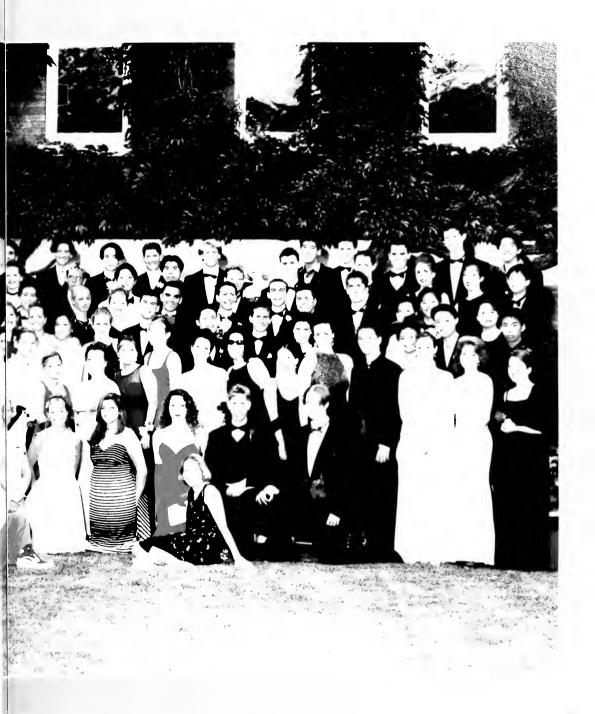
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to my dearest friends... C.L., S.P., Y.C., M.W., S.S., J.T., T.Y., A.N., M.H., J.L., O.L., Y.M., G.T., I.W., E.C., E.H., V.L., D.T., and .. and .. and .. and .... :)

I'll miss you all..









## Jacqueline Hudson

6 YEARS OF MUFFINSCOFFEE&PHILOSOPHYWITHN.N.
:CARRALLIESDANCESANDPRANKS
BADBROWNHALLFOOD
:SOMEGOODPARTIESANDSOMEBAD
:SKIINGCLIMBINGANDLOTSOFHARDROCK
RINOSLIONSSOUTHERCOMFORT&LEMONADE
AND"OHTHELEFTSIDEOFTHEROAD"
.BADMOVIENIGHT&SNOWDONHOMEBREW
.H.M. G.F. D.W. J.H. J.H. OV. R.B. J.T. BL. D.D. A.F. H.M.
ANDMOSTOFALL N.H. THANKSALOTGUYSITWASFUN
HOTTUBSANDGREATBOOKS
IT HAS BEEN A LONG TIME. THANKS SMU....... NEXT....

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# Eric Hung

"Expect little when you're still innocent." Hung will tell you about the start in his fifth year of SMU. Che-Man arrived in grade 8 to room with 3 interesting people. The remaining ones stayed with him for another four years. Che-Man just loves to annoy Ed. "You know what?" "(being annoyed)What!?!!" "I don't care." Other than annoying his roommates, you'll find Che-Man hanging out in DEIV's parts. Every night, he just goes to DT to have a snack. Che-Man has been a member of numerous sports teams over the years which include rugby, tennis, golf and the rowing crew. Eric will never forget his 'Soul Crew'. MD, "Don't you just love hitting those big white thing in the water, or we can go into the 'weeds'". Che-Man enjoyed SMU life, thanks to 'Yin Yen' (GK), fellow singer 'Banana Mui', On-On's big mushroom, O-Lei-Fei-Flower's c-wing, the two big gangsters 'Hung Hing Chai' and 'Sun Yee On', DT's Clab, IW's interesting look when he's playing the 'Three-angle-brave' games, VL's half-pipe snowboarding photo, 'SeeFoo' for the fx-4200, looking foward to CLau2's listed plane wheel double-deck bus, pk-unzip for zipping, my best-cause-only bro Joe, and all others. Hung's highlight in five years of Saint Mikes was 1st in E-S-L in grade 8. Congratulations!. Hungster will be going to University with some great memories. So good luck to everyone: 1:3:>



## Marisa Ishihara

The memories created here both good and bad will last me a life time as my jewel. To all who made SMU memorable: Becky my buddy, I will never forget the "Fuzzy Start" and Mt. Tomie 1 a.m. and all the stuff we did! Jenn and the "bath room", weren't we cute? My craziest wildest year in my whole entire life! Grade ten year forever! I love you so. Oilvia, my forever roommate. Is your pink snake ok now? Roxana, my beloved mexicana, Connie my Spanish bud, me gusta tu! Sayuri daisukiyo, tegami, kaitene, Pat "The Man", I love your jokes, never forget "from my heart" and stay in touch. Lem and Vasin, stay cool next year. The memorable party in the end of grade eleven year in my room. I have the evidence of Connie being wild on my video! Oh, everyone was so funny! (Including Erin who was on the floor). To my prefect buds, Jenn, Coille, Tina, Yan, Connie, and Sharon. Thank you for supporting me when I was in a "little" trouble. Ryota and Donna, I hope you guys will be ok in physics and chemistry next year without me... Many thanks to Joy, my "Sleeping Beauty" roommate. To others who added a sparkle in my life: J.W, M.W, M.H., J.+I.K., Y.N, I.W, J.+I.K., K.L., and K-T.K. Most of all, to my Japanese Girl Risa Baby. Thank you for your support and smiles. Risa, dissukiyo, aligatone. I will never forget our "secret garden", "mamma mia tropicana" and all the fun we had. It has been great to be part of your life and to be close to you is a gift. You will never leave me because you are part of me now. Good luck in L.A! Thank you for the memories. I hope we shall see each other again. Bye-Bye!

# Jaclyn Ivany

Jacki arrived at S.M.U. in grade 10 branded a "bleached blonde bimbo" and leaves proving to be anything but. Jax has been through a lot in the past 3 years showing she can steal any show, even a New York off. Broadway, every Juliet needs her balcony, and sometimes you really do have to kiss a few frogs before you find a prince... or C.K. model (right Jacki?) Jacki will be best remember dor her cute comebacks, killer smiles and pouts as she whines "I failed my Physics test". I can promise you that Jacki will succeed... By the way Jax, when you're rich and famous always remember, I have the car rally pictures! And remember Jacki says... M.P.- avoid cowboys (especially those from Seattle), A.H.- watch out for pocket change, S.N.- retain your god-like status, R.G.- stay away from those carts, they're mine, B.B.- No! I will not unlock your window!, K.B.- Dave E-mail-it wasn't me, M.D.- Robyn rules the stock market, S.T.-H.G.- The M.M. fan club now has 5 members, R.I.- Are you Miss Victoria? Thank you to mom and dad for everything, you're the greatest (mom thanks for getting rid of those pesky cops at my parties). LONG LIVE THE QUEEN OF SARCASM (you know who you are). To my grad class thank you for everything, I love you all.





# Robyn Ivany

Robyn, AKA "The Evil Twin" came into "the bubble", as she puts it, in grade 10. Robbie may look sweet & innocent, but boys - BEWARE this brunette boy-magnet is more than meets the eye! New York city will never be the same! Robyn's creative, kind nature, and (sometimes) sharp wit attract the most interesting types of people from all over... does England sound familia? Robyn is one of those special people who will always go far and end up on top. Thank God she finally made it out of the "A's" (and I don't mean grades) Robyn will always be most admired by her little sister (by 1 minute) "if we were royalty..." UVic is too big! How will anybody ever find Robbie for advice between classes? A few words from me, to my friends, B.B., M.D. see you on Wallstreet (when you're working for me.) by the way Mrs. Davel, we DON'T like your games!! P.A., M.M. You'll always be my favorite boyfriends. R.G. I'll always remember Pacific Swift watches. M.D. Your mission if you choose to accept it... B.B. Vancouver (Whine!) Mom & Dad, I love you. S.N. How will I survive naps without a pillow? M.P. Always beware of the hot tub at the X-tal. K.B. Hot chocolate in the hallways. C.S. Murphy is MINE! C.L. How's your "girlfirend"? has she materialized yet? . S.T., H.G. Bond girls forever! ps. I am a proud member of the M.M.F.C. (and so is Bianca). To everyone else, I love you gusy, I will never forget you. Thank you. ps. Hey Jax, You, Me, 19, NY, TC. I will end this with a quote from my best friend: "What goes around comes around... with a little help from us!"

### Allison Johnson

park, umbrella bush, bus stop, res 'space ship', freeman, "ecorm", 4th fl sh br, New gym br, Jono's 'the mansion', common room, "sick", cance ndes, JL jumping out of windows, adventures with the boys. Thetis, Sooke Pot Holes, John's, S a D, vacuums, Austin's, ndes with Dooner, Jenny's, P.B.'s, Rock & Bowl, Westfalia, aliens, GGG 'hey MANI", McD's, "scuse me sir, do you have free cents?", "Cherokee people", Tuck shop, wec, the 'funeral, "Ah your steppin on the rat", doorbells and rocks, dancing in the snow, B&E & rid with EF and PB, 'reading' in history, Ballroom dancing 'what are you guys doing?", Valentines Day '97, 'the band', Roger, Spaz (SL), Willies, Mighty moccasin, Sam's roof, Cooch, Pb, Van., Grouse chair fith, perma with EY & BH, Ria's parties, spit art, Tom's jeep, greek weddings, driving standard, hitchhiking, Rock climbing gr. 9 and 11: bushes, tents, notes, windows, ghost hunting, poop deck, Al, Garabaldi: helicopters, "just dump tin the never", rooms in the museum, skipping through the gardens with DS and NS, camping on Saltspning, raccoons, garage sales, Hawaii '95, S in front of DS's house, smart guys. "Here's the culprit", "Ming sai po, Empre hotel", "Hey you guys, my dad put up those signs!", Eager Beavers with LW, RIM, KN, CN, compops, "I can't wait", mastuda, CG 'ha ha ha bart", Road to Hana, P.A., too many crashes, chocolate milk in bed, "We're flipping", pennies, cabin, cake fight, speeding in PA and phone booths, Lauren's crimped hair, my 'boyfriend'. We miss you Enn, Alec, Chris, John and I love you guys Ed, Lauren, Ria, Dev. I'll always remember you. Without you, I wouldn't have made it.





## Benjamin Johnson

BENJAMIN JOHNSON (1994-97) is from Saudi Arabia. He has been a boarder in Barnacle House for three years. Ben played rugby in grade ten, and was also a basketball scorekeeper in grade ten and eleven and the manager of the senior basketball team in grade twelve. Ben hopes to attend the University of Victoria next year.

### Mahat Johnson

4 years at SMU. It's been happy and sad at times and it's been good and bad. Kenyan since birth and that is how it will stay. Now that things are where they are...DA END, I'm through with high school and off to the next step of my voyage. Thank you to everyone who was there since day one. You know who you are! THANX: Symons House since 93 (Shingo, Yusuf, Charles, Dan, Steve H, Mark "Funky", Wilson), Tony Cordle- gonna miss you!...Pat (DA MAAN!), Ryota, Lemuel, Lance, Risa, Yoshi and Vasin (DA B)...Thanx for all that you said and did and for me.. I LOVE YOU GUYZZ. FAMILY: Mum, Dad, Rahama, Ahmed, Amina. My love for you has no boundaries. To everyone that I forgot to mention.. well I am sorry GOOD BYE!! SEE YA WHEN YA SEEZ ME..







Carys Jones, a proud Welsh raised woman who has truly lived up to her name. Arriving in grade two: SMUS recognized they had a star in their hands. Throughout her schoolastic career at SMUS Carys has managed to shine not only on the basketball court, soccer field and field hockey turf, but also under the bright lights of the theatre. More than her athletic talents, she is also praised for her academic exellence in which she hopes to persue a career in POLITICS! Carys has always represented the school as a model student-the complete package! Out of school she is an intrical member of the community, an avid reader and a warnor of virtue. People are naturally drawn to her chansmatic character, wit and charm. To all her close friends at SMUS, she only has good and warm hopes for the future. To the staff: she is grateful for all the guidence that has led her to the legend she has become. Next year Carys is venturing to Denmark with her agent to work on her modeling portfolio. She will be dearly missed and SMUS can and only hope that her influnce has planted the seed in which other SMUS stars will bloom. So as she leaves a trail of broken hearts and tearful goodbyes she can take comfort knowing that her legacy will remain immortalied within these hallways. Carys unfortunately has to single out an individual resonsible for her above achievements and aspirations, to my best friend B.S. I will keep a piece of you in me for the rest of my life!! Thank you.

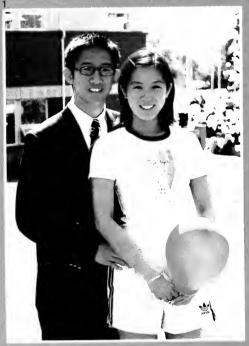
## Martin Jung

Martin came to SMUS in grade 9. Having experienced many tough times with strict boarding rules, he has learned many lessons from them. In addition, as time goes by he started to enjoy boarding life, and awarded as a boarding prefect. He will miss all of his Korean friends especially YKL, SY, RS, ML, DH, JH and PK. Night basketball with SK, RY, SC, SH, IW, KS, DT, VL and activities with Seafood L, Cori L, SD, were his best times. Martin was lucky to have a good roommate like Mitz, along with KP who always comes every weekend for a party. Thanks to the staffs, SG, and MJ, who have taken care of Martin. Everything in SMUS will be missed by Martin except Brown Hall food.













- 1) Jenny Reed, Courtenay Mitchell, Deanna Age, Mitsuru Delisle
- 2) Andrea Horsman
- 3) Ivan Wan, Mellissa Wong 4) Kelly Knight, Allison Johnson, Darek Dziewanski, Christina Nadolski, Lauren Wilkinson
- 5) Kristina Kerr, Carys Jones















## Nicolas Jupe

Nick (JÜPēé) came to SMU as a dazed and confused seventh grader. He enjoyed the many new splendors a large town had to offer him. He also realized Victoria wasn't completely boring either. As the years passed (and S.G. grew more sarcastic and cynical) Nick grew up and eventually noticed J.J. was an idiot. Er hat lernen Deutsche, but soon he forgot all the grammar and most of the vocabulary. The best years were every year after grade nine. Thanks to B.B., D.D., H.P., G, M.M., AND B.S.. Remember Derek. H.L. Sam would want you to work on your plies and pirouettes. Now, in all my years here from Barrhead I've decided that the one thing you city folk are lacking is cow milking skills. So here is a quick lesson.

i. Grab the cow firmly at the top of the nipple just below the bulk of the udder.

- ii. Squeeze and pull down in a firm but gentle motion.
- iii. If done right milk should be coming out of the base of the nipple.

There you go, enjoy! NOW GET LOST!!!

## Kristina Kerr

KRISTINA KERR (1993-97) is from Victoria, and entered SMUS in grade nine. She has participated in field hockey, basketball and soccer for her four years at the senior school, and was nominated as captain for the field hockey and soccer teams in her senior year. Kristina plans on studying business at the University of Victoria Next year and hopefully the year after that will travel to England on the GAP programme.



## Jae Hoon Kim

JAE HOON KIM (1994-97) is from Korea and has been a boarder in Harvey House. Next year Jae Hoon intends to study business at either the University of Windsor or Nipissing University College in Ontario.

## Jae Won Kim

Jae Won came to SMU in grade 8. SMU has been tough for him, but he finally graduating. He has endured all the years in SMU with the help and care from

his friends; K.K, S.K, J.H, K.L, J.Y. R.S, C.Y, L.C, S.O, and his brother, Jae-Hoon Kim. He will miss every one of them and all the

people, whom he has known in SMU. He will also miss some parts of the life in SMU, and will be missed by many people here!





# Sunny Kim

Sunny came to SMUS in grade 9. Although he had tough times adjusting to new strict boarding life style, he has found himself as an important part of the family. It was a matter of time for him to enjoy his life at SMUS boarding and eventually was awarded with prefectship in Gr. 12. Anyways, Sunny will be out of the SMUS boarding life and will be flying and running away to somewhere in States where they accept him.

# Kelly Knight

Kelly came to SMU in 95 and in the two short years, she lived her schooling to the fullest. She reflects on many fond memones that has helped her become the person she is today. Never forgetting the nine consecutive hours of channel 75 the continuous why IS it so smoky in here?" Those MANY endless inghts thanks to those speedos. What do you mean? This IS sobnety? Shikkal? Care Taile 196. Eager Beavers, thanks for the whiping ream AJ, all those naked men in the beast. LW—bowing ball titler—you veg of a LOT of sust. In level long, My eternal appreciation to Freddie—thanks for all the high times. Can theat the Real Thing, can you CN? Shawan? She's a manace, sneaking in and out of CNs house, beware the killer findge, all that jam and I ate the last prix one? "Yeah, rock on, whatever." Summer 96. Summer from the say. "Taik about your shinkage!" All hose things to the HP and Williows, the many logged windows; "Oh my God! I think that was a call." The 7-eleven garbage can. I can still see it smoking. Snapple's Strawberry and Kiwr. Lando Jackson! AS, always remember that the walk down is long AND nosy! I pushed my car into a cance! Remember those nights?". and what DID we do last tweekend anyway? Shawingan Lake: Lucky Charms, Left sog swimming AGAIN!" Brocooli Cheese Rice. No more sexual alwours for you fit Pizza Boy! To the Bobsy hins. Praise to Jangus's good living philosophy. hall to that comfy chair in CP's room, bend over el?" The cheese at RMs and that reception which took JJ, CN, and I to the driving range. RF—a great intibage player, conversationalist, companion to Vancouver, and all those cheese pizzas and opcorn in between—thow you set up that bed. Il inever know! Menulot, Thanks to the Boys—you know who you are! All those after eights. "Con't talk el?" Just schmick of a pie el?" To my fellow four horsemen of the apocal-pixel—love you, thank you for the memones and don't ever forget! Thanks to my teachers for their kindness, understanding and patence. Especially to Mr. Gardner for making me THINK about my sur





# Kyra Kordoski

Well what can I say about SMU? I've been here a whole three months, and it only feels like it's been three weeks. It's been good being here though. Thank you to everyone who made being the new girl actually a fun thing. Things I know I'm going to want to remember later in life: days at the Thetis, 4C, Tainted Love, the gorge, Dippy Skipping, Holly and the Sprokets, the Dockyard, Glanville the Turtle, the skatepark, Pothole Daughter, the Malibu, my times with Andy & Clif, canoeing to downtown (and getting stuck, lost, and wet on the way.) Mr. Dodds, slurpee runs, trips to Vancouver and Mt. Washington, Cowichan Lake, LONG BEACH, and all the hours I "wasted" just hanging out with my friends (esp. Holly. Kristina, Sarah, Melinda, Zenna.) I had some awesome times in high school and I'm looking forward to having lots more at university, and all over this planet. Nancy and Bri - I hope you're with me.

# Michael Kwan

Welcome to Mike Kwan's grad write-up! First, I would like to thank (in no paticular order): AD for inspiring me musically, PG for adding a note of positive energy to each day. NB for joining me in my impulse to start fencing, CL for being there for so long, and NV for all those times especially with CS and KW.





### Maria Kwari

Our cute little (very little) "Cobweb" came to SMU at the ripe age of 5 and ever since that day on the steps of Barker Library where she met Sarah I., her life was never the same. Maria's fellow liters will remember her falling asleep on her first day of school, she has improved since then and can almost stay awake for a full day now. Maria soon outgrew her funic and Carebears and moved on to the middle school where she met her Fairy Friends. It was also at the middle school where she met her gant (well in comparison to Maria) friend Keith aka Personal Assistant #1 and from then on the 4 am chats began. When Maria funally reached the senior school the party era with "The Girls" began; as Keith, Michelle & Kath can attest to after a long right on Salt Spring where S.S. Player pulled into her port..... Maria will always be remembered for her pre-dance antics, although at times her most house washed out with soap. Always remember. Hello Kitty, White and Purple hair, Test Stress, A Certain Boy's Obsession, Maria Stories, Cheese Bread, Mercedes, Back-Seat Driving, Diamonds and Gold. Oh yeah and to B L. "I did not cheat"..... We often gasp in bewilderment at the amount of words that Maria can fit in a few seconds, though I'm sure it will reflect the copious amount of experiences she will have from here on.

To my girls' Michelle, Kath, Rach, Case, Whit, Lucy & Sarah and to Keith the brat of all brats. So many memories, tears, laughs and good times. These years have been special, I llove you all and couldn't have done it without you. Well folks we're finally here and "Tm sad to say I'm on my way...." I'll miss you all but whenever you think of SMU, think of me and always look back on these days with a light heart and a smile.

"A journey of a thousand miles must begin with a single step." -Lau Tzu

# Christopher Lau

The "Master" arrived at SMU in grade 11 and was given this honorable "title" after the Mid-Autumn Festival of 1995, when his new friends discovered what an amazing guy he was. Thanks to his fair and "shiny" complexion and his resemblance of a HK muscleman, he was nicknamed "Ng Kong", but later on, when we found out how much muscle Chris actually has, this title was no longer recognised and almost forgotten by now. He is now simply known as "Seafood" because of his love for seafood.....not!

Chirs is admired by his peers for his outstanding grades, incredible wit and his astonishing bowling skills, however, he is especially popular amongst girls because of his great.....chosptick-like legs and the fact that he never gains weight, no matter how much he eats! It's a miserable fate for a guy, isn't it?

Apart from having a district British accent, the Master's sense of fashion also makes him unique. His apparel brands "evolved" as the year progressed, starting with Giordano in the fall, "Chick" woolies in winter and finally ending up with his most "stylish" collection yet: Calvin Klein.

Although we all know that Chris is quite young compared to other grade 12's, the ever-changing frequency of his voice still makes people wonder whether he really belongs to this grad class. Perhaps his vocal cord is damaged because he never stops saying "particular phrases" in Cantonese, English, Japanese....etc. etc. i.e. this year, he never stops saying "..... is the best!", where..... is a new grade 9 girl and known as "K-mui" by the Cantonese.













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- 1) V. Yang, L. Wey, M. Delisle. D. Age, G. Fedorak, A. Horsman, C.Mavrikos 2) C. Jones, W. Davis 3) R.Reid-Ivany, J.Reid-Ivany 4) V. Yang, J. Ford, R. Ebl.



### Cori Lau

CORI LAU (1992-97) was born in Hong Kong and has lived in Canada for eleven years. During his five years at SMUS Cori has participated in many activities such as badminton, choir and concert band. Next year Cori plans to study business at the University of Victoria.

Simon Lau

Until should one day our paths cross again, goodbye to all.



### Vincent Law

Vinne, in all his innocence, came to SMUS in Gr.8. Vince had a great time in SMU. It's always fun listening to CL's pick-up lines; figuring out how to "inch" the Wong family (very obviously); try to understand DT's point of view, the late-night activities, and playing Rugby with the boys, etc. In the house, thanks to his wonderful, not to mention thoughtful and caring roommate-MPreston, Vince lost all his self-esteem and confidence in his room. He found out that the best way to comeback is to say "Ha, You have the weirdest roommate on campus! So there..." to his roommate. Vince tries to stay in DT's room as much as possible. Where he would sit down with Danny, and discuss the only two problems faced by men. He would have never made it if it wasn't DT's CONTINUES support! Thanks to: DEIV&Co's coconut biscuits; MW's delightful smile; YM's beautiful songs; YA's telephone talks; CL1's slik boxers & wine-glass; IW's worthily lessons; CW's Armani T-shirt; AN's forwarding e-mails; SL's meaningful thoughts; JP&AS's - whatever!; EH's snowboard wax; CL2's clean-minded jokes; SS's entertaining argues with DT, and CS's lovely mushroom-rice... See you in the future!

#### Lucas Lee

Lucas, SDF-unzip-tetris-king has survived 5 yrs. at SMU: The Su man, Tree, and Dragon KFL... SDF now understands the concept of "zee fee chai" torture developed by KUNG-FU-LAU. He'll always remember jamming music with KFL, "Tai-jien"! Zip foretells that FYMA's (Esc) tricks (hehe) and possibly "retired-old-age-Dragon's DRAGON\_X" (hehehehe!!); ) will continue! What's gonna come out 97, FYMA... what's the meaning of sharing:)? What's "afterdark" and toaster2, Dragon? SDF will remember talks about "umbrella" with "Michael Chang" and about the stiff in the fish tank.. He leaves SMUS with the words: "CHIAO.... and remember... Beyond ...eh..yeah... great thanks to SH, SO, IT, YH, SL, JK, and O'buddy O'pal...AY; )! all the good friends of grad '95!, the members of Grad '98 "Hung-Hing- Association", and of course, SHOYU RAMFNIUII"





### Youn-Keun Lee

Yuen Kuen Lee (Bio) came to SMUS in grade 9. Yuen first had many problems with rules and roommates. However, he found his way in boarding and ended up being a boarding prefect. He will miss KP, DT, MJ, and all his Korean friends along with his roommate IT. Yuen also miss practicing of dance moves with Stephan in the Gym, although he could not accomplish some of the moves with practising over a year. He likes to thank SG, RC, and TM who helped him to go through many tough times. Yuen will be missed by many people in the school. Good Luck in your future Yuen!!!

KATE LEVERING (1994-97) is originally from Qualicum Beach and began her career at SMUS as a boarder. In grade eleven she became a day student and resided temporarily in Victoria. Next year Kate plans to pursue her goal of becoming a professional chef.





### Olivia Limbu

Olivia, first known to us as Rita, came to SMUS in grade ten and spent three years as a boarder in Winslow House. She enjoys golf, tennis, field hockey and bowling. However, her gift in bowling was not known to us until she came in first place in the Victoria High-school League. Olivia also plays the piano and has been in the school chor for three years. Her hobbies include Free-Tel on the internet, more Tere-Tel, and talking on the phone (with all the people she met...on Free-Tel!) When she is off the internet, she is most likely to be found shopping, or cooking her famous "soy-sauce-chicken-wings", or washing dishes with her roommate. Her memones of grade 12 would certainly include writing Lt. and History essays last minute before deadline, karaoke on weekends, and also an Hymig's ready-los-serve curry chicken and mooncakes from Hist. Grade eleven was spent mostly in Winslow 201. sleep-overs. hair-dyes and Joy-Joy's makeovers (notice Lu's perfect eyebrows). "The Heat Is On In Saigon" (never forget that), and night before Spring Break. Friends will remember her forever as \*hing-hing'-for her ever-aimable (and slightly "ah-O) character, also as "ah-Lang' beautiful, beautiful forever. Never will she be forgotten for organizing parties (e: Dinner for 35 at Hunan Village). Next step for Olivia will be university, where she will earn her degree and someday become one of the most successful business woman, or she may well follow her dreams and become the next musical director-chorographer (however, "Miss Saigon" will always be her favourate). Olivia will always seemember YM, of course, "shopping pail"; CS On-On, Thanx for helping me all these years, especially in Spanish. Sweet memones of HK-Mother's Choice, Summer '95 always; MI for getting me addicted to everything bad; JL for all the beauty tips (and all the get, too): MH Ling-Ling for waking me up in French Class; MW for being she slow at everything; SS my bowling pal, Small; AN, SS, DL, L. Vd. All-DK, The Livus Will lots and lots; MJ for being there always, all

### Cassie Lin

Cassie came to SMUS from Hsinchu, Taiwan in Grade 10. She was shy and scared of the brand new environment as a boarder in Timmis House. "I wanna go home" could be heard from her all the time. Her sweetness was soon recognized by people not only inside the school, but also outside the school. She began to make new friends and this motivation changed her personality. She became more vivid and began to accustom to the boarding community which turned out to be her "little home" in Canada. Her room was described as a grocery store in the school because she had a lot of "junk food" in her whole third drawer of her desk. Sometimes, you could even find noodles or cookies in her closet, because the drawer was too full!!!! She was a never grown up girl whose acting and the way of her talking were still like a kid.... Whenever you walked into her room, you could always find lots of teddy bear things and cute stuff, which were all her favorite, around her place. Also you could almost see her cooking in her room every mid-night!!?!?!? She was kind of tiny though.... SMUS gave her many unforgettable good and bad memories. She will sure miss her friends who have helped her all the time. Good luck to you all!!



# Joy Liu

Joy, originally from Taiwan, came to SMUS in Gr. 10. She spent all of her time playing with C.L., B.P., A.T., S.P. (5 people group activity, crazy and wild) during her first year and had more fun when Yan arrived as her roommate in Gr. 11. During the year, Joy and Yan took turns sleeping throughout the night. They got along well and had a great time living together. Joy, being a member of choir for more than 3 years, is now a member of the Prima Choir (after her fine contribution in the musical of Oklahoma.) Joy will always remember her favourite song from choir 12: Prayer of St. Francis..."Where there is \_\_\_\_\_\_, let there be JOY." Joy-joy really has a full schedule because of the b-ball score-keeping and participating in the musical functions. All the hard work paid off when she received the scholarship. (Well done! Joy!) However, being more involved in the Winslow House boarding community.....Joy became our House Keeper, coming around weekly on Wednesday nights for our bath mats and Thursday for our room checks clad in her glasses, T-shirt and "RED" pajama pants. Besides, Joy likes to share her beauty insight on eyebrows to the girls in Winslow. Special thanks to C.L., B.P., A.T., S.P., Y.M., C.S., O.L., Syl.S., J.T., M.H., S.O. and R.N., S.S., little S.S., Y.S. and .....A. I., B., E., C., V., D., 2Es. Good Luck Joy, wherever you may be next year. Have fun in "vorur whole new world."

### Silvia Liu

Learne from Singapore, and reached SMU in December 1996. Boarding is a new experience for me, and I like how one can easily find a friend just by walking a few steps. But I cannot deny that boarding life is boring and very different from what I expected it to be. It seems that we're kept up only in studying, sleeping, and eating. Still, I must say that I have learnt a lot by being away from home. For this, I offer my heartfelt gratitude to the teachers in SMU, and of course to all my friends who had taught me one thing or another. Lastly, my special thanks to Renee C, Alice H, and Tina C, for giving me so much comfort when I'm down and out. "Life is but a game of chess, you learn from experiences and will have to face the world with a much revised plan of how you're going to live. Sometimes, many times, I find a mask necessary, and it pains me to put one on. But like chess, life is about surviving...and a little pain does good to the growing soul. Maybe, just maybe, people should learn to talk less, listen more, and learn to deal with things more quietly." -Raymod Austen















1) A. Martin, L. Wey, M. Delisle, 2) R. Ebl, R. Gardiner, 3) D.Age, K. Kerr, V. Yang

4) C. Mavrikos, G. Gibbons, 5) The Snow!!!!, 6) R. Mavrikos, B. Soderberg.











1) J. Bowman
2) Mr. Kayal, S.
Anderson, C.Nowak,
K. Barnes, K. Bourne,
S. Noreddin, P
Frisby, P. Gill.
3) W.Davis
4) N. Norris, J.
Hudson
5) C. Yeates, N.
Stanger, R. Bateman,
R.Morton.



#### Yan Mak

Yan Mak came to SMUS on a cold and dismal September day. She was greeted by warmth from the Winslow Prefects and House Parents. The quiet was soon shattered by a bubbly and contagious chatter... hoping that this noise was not her room mate, she sat in her room minding her own business not knowing that this "noise" was going to be her future room mate. She had a talent for singing and was given solos in school concerts. Later, when she was not asked to sing solo, she decided to go a head anyways... Yan's hobbies includes: Eating, sleeping, singing, and her favourite... TALKING ON THE PHONE AFTER 200m.... She figured out a brand new time table where it would enable her to talk on the phone and sleep enough: sleep when it is still light outside and wake up when it is past midnight.... She developed a passion for sparklers and bubbles somewhere along the way, which she enjoyed doing in and out of doors... With a passion for Winnie the Pooh and pigs, she never ceased to clutter her room with Pooh stuff and in her later days at SMU was nicknamed "Banana Pig". Known for her love of eating, she never failed to leave the sink area cluttered with dirty dishes and wonder how they got there a month later.... garbage was also a problem in grade 11 when she considerately "freshened up" the air on the second floor of Winslow House one day.... Yan Mak, we'll always love you and we'll never forget your "electricity". She will always remember.... Her first year. J-L, CS, SP, YA, SS, Kams, AH, MH, MW, AN, my manager EH, my secretary OL.... Good luck to.... IW, VL, DT, CL, A(K)Y. Kim-kim: keep singing. CN good luck in all you do. PA: thanks 4 all your hug 'n' kisses. RS, SD: Sorry for all the noise, but love you guys anyways...

# Alex Martin



# Christopher Mavrikos

I came to SMU in grade 8 and since then it has been a very long road! In the beginning I arrived with only one person I knew, A McV. because we had been going to school together since grade 2. Soon enough being my typical finendly, personable and talkative self I found myself with a group of boys who at that time seemed pretty normal. J.P., H.W., J.N., P.I., T.S., G.T., C.W. We owned the middle school, but our legacy had to end sometime and this brought on the senior school. What a jump! If was a whole new life, the years passed and they brought new students and took some old boys away as well. Grades 9, 10,11 went quick. Some highlights. RM, D.D., G.F., G.G., J.V., D.S., arrived E.F. T-11 rurs, Autoritaders at the ron to to mention the Score bars! Crackers at Brown Hall, lunches at John's house, good old dances, Dark of the Moon, Oklahoma (especially the cast party, cross country sking with M.T. Cheers!) trying to get home with S.P. Richard's French with J.P., C.W., and L.C. spitballs! Now to talk about the people: J.P. best finends for life, N.H.L. bound, D.D. through thick and thin, mostly thick we've been there for each other, best finends: Westside, K-Mart, Halloweens, Tuck shop (thanks for everything Caleb!) Car Rally, Omega and Golliath, Hooker, Bowman's computer desk, C.K. Visor, White Vest, Hunchchoppy, Pecker - Wee, P.E. with Tobacco, McD's drive thru, Microwave, provincials, Jaque le Cock, Latino, T.K.'s window, Pedaol and everything else. B.M. well cousin we're here at the end, after lith years, sharks for everything 'sagapor'. D.A. I love ye, geology with Mr. J. Wzup! Dee Air, Choc State, I'll never! All the lovely ladies, Bush x.2, (C.J., K.W.) J.W., K.K., A.H., J.H., N., E.C., B.B., R.F., R.G., M.K., K.B., R.E., ... E.A. (B-Ball star), my two HOCOHIE MAMMAS (J.A., C.P.,) C.L., B.T., S.L., J.W., C.W.... B.B. (Succeed.), P.A. E.C., J.H.K., P.V., S.A., (shades of grey)... S.P., C.P., R.L., A.D., R.C., T.A.R., D.B., L.B., R.B., B.B., L.B., C.W., D.B., C.Y., N.D., B. (shades of grey)... S.P., C.P., R.

### Ria Mayrikos





# Janika McFeely

At birth we are red-faced, round, intense, pure. The crimson fire of universal consciousness burns in us. Gradually, however, we are devoured by parents, gulped by schools, chewed by peers, swallowed by social institutions, wolfed by bad habits, and gnawed by age; and by the time we have been digested, cow style, in those six stomachs, we emerge a single disgusting shade of brown.

The lesson of the beet, then, is this - hold onto your divine blush, your innate rosy magic, or end up brown.

- "The Bill for Darrell Bob Houston" from Jitterbug Perfume by Tom Robbins

Thanks to all my friends who gave me so many memories.

Blah, Blah, and a token patronizing Blah, I came to the school in Grade 8, left after Grad. I had a great time, except for the homework and classes. Seriously though, thanks to everyone for all the memories, good and otherwise. Special thanks go to the patient wonderful people in the Math department who breath a sigh of relief as I leave, and to all who have been victims of my sarcasm and just tolerated it, and to anyone who ever gave me a ride to Starbucks. Aspirations: ohhh... maybe a job, a family, maybe a house and car. If that doesn't work out, I'll just create my own banana republic. As for the initials, if you feel like you're being missed out, you're probably very important to me. (Andrew's Mood = tan x) Hey Sean, got a spare? Wanna go for coffee?





### Russell Morton

As Martin Luther King Jr. once quoted "Free at last! Free at last! Thank God Almighty, we are free at last!"

### Cameron Murdoch

CAMERON MURDOCH (1985-97) is a 'Lifer' from Victoria. He enjoyed his lengthy career at SMUS and hopes to go away for a year to a yet to be decided destination. After his year off, university is in order and then the rest of his life.





#### Christina Nadolski

(A.K.A. Chi Chi, Chrispy chris...)

5 years at SMU and trying to keep sane. I came to this school smiling and I'll be leaving it with an even bigger one. I may not remember everything that has happened to me here but hey, that just tells me I must have been having a good time, such as: staying at D.H's and Ta's cabins Shawn and Gan, Cast parties, Silverstar "stuck in the middle" with R.F. D.H. Channel 75, New wave hookers 2, Mr. Speedy lube, Eager Beavers, the happy places will always welcome us, 7-eleven garbage can, A T and L.W. culprits in crime. A J. you make whipping cream taste mmmm...... I can't describe it. Tsaulotte Pow .you'll never be older than me(so shut up wah wah). J A. why are your eyes chink? What? Hootchie? I sneak you in and then we sneak out R.F., D.H. and A.S. have you ever wondered why K.K.'s made us sooo thirsty. Lando Jackson saved me from the killer veggie. summer of the "Joker" with R.M., dancing at Latin fests, fooling around in bottom Challoner, S.wimming in da buff, then going to get pizza. What happened last night anyway ? I'd like to take the time and thank. Freddie for all those high times, Erin for teaching me about purple green hazel land. some unmentionable boys.. scott...??? R.M. and C.L. for teaching me that "you can't beat the real thing" right K.K. ? Why is it so smoky in here, someone roll down a window! I have so many memories of stuff I did with D.H. A.S., R.F., A.J. E.F., L.W., C.P., J.A., C.Y., A.T., R.M., K.K. I can't write all our times down but I won't forget them! To those of you who I just can't seem to get along with I'm sorry I never got to see into your world of

Thanks to my Parents who pushed me on for all the right reasons and for not trying to understand me but backing me up every step of the way. I love you all ..... SEE YAI

#### Risa Naito

From Tokyo to Victoria, a little girl, Risa Naito (Japanese Queen by Saïto or Untouchable Girl, by CHU) came to SMUS three years ago. She's been though bad experiences and good ones. The first ESL class people thought she was a YAKUZA from IKEBUKURO by her nose ring, the weirdest hair colour and her own different style. Following Da Crew's tradition, she didn't get involved and always seemed to disappear after school and Prep. She was well known with her huge bodyguard < Domino > together with her coolest and closet friends - Da Crew. All i can say is.... those were wicked times. We all had our own style and our own routine but times change and Da Crew had to leave for no reason (Sach, Flav, Flip, Domino, Danny), but me, RIS, CHU and Henry

chilled on. Two years has past, and she joined the 96' crew. Whatever the situation, Ris was always there to cheer us up and was always the person to talk to. She'd especially like to thank PAT (If you want new ones, I can get them!!), DaMan from the Old Crew. The three years I've been here wouldn't be the same without you. She will also remember 96/97 - Wil, Saito, Lem. Fly, Mahat, Vas. Kevin, Ryota, Lance, and Dave - Thanks for being there for me. And of course my Huggies who have supported me over the phone... I Love you all.



Love



### Yoshifumi Nakanishi

Yoshi "FLY" Nakanishi came to SMUS two years ago. This once short and shy native of Tokyo, Japan, turned into a once again short but crazy "FLY" from Symon's House.

(Don't forget, he was a Prefect) Known for his unique attitude and insane speed, he was for some reason recognized for his unmatched height among everything else. His memories with Da Crew will never fade. To his Harvey brothers KULA, LEM(July 6)and VAS, and of course he'll never torget the Japanese crew RYO, SHING and RIS. Also his roommate MJ. To grad '96s CHU, FUNK, BAbe and STUD. The Fly gives his thanx to everyone that has helped him get this far. Although the hair may change throughout the years, it will always be hard. He would like to sign off by saying, "I've grown so much in the past two years..."

# Blair Nelson

I came to SMU in grade 10 after six years at GNS, the wonderful school that it is (sarcasm intended). Memorable moments on the Pacific Swift: L.W., K.B. still got that picture of my back?!-that hurt. Hey C.J., J.W., R.G., M.B., do you know what a walk sign looks like??- man, that cop was mean! You know, the Galapagos have really big turtles. Anyway, to all my friends, best of luck in the future.



# Aries Na

Aries came to SMU in Grade 11. She's graduating in the year of 1997, and as a Hong Kong-nese, it is a special year to her. As a proud grad 97, Aries always believed in strong Chinese culture and always teaching younger students all sorts of ancient courtesies. Her great work of Art has always eamed much respect from Jamie, Renee and lots of others. Aries or "AH MOE" (twin name with MW) is a procrastinator. She always says that she's going to study but ends up sleeping, eating, talking on the phone with JC, and doodling at the same time. And yeah, since she's popular with her peers, her gangster friends always break into her room and interrupt her studying. Loud people like Y.A., O.L., M.W., G.C. (in descending order by how loud they are) come in and gossip, use ah moe's e-mail. (Thariks Anes, for always sharing the computer, even when you have tons of homework undonel). Everyday, she needs a lot of calcium from B-hail. (That's probably the only thing she cherished @bhail). NEVER STEAL milk from her, she'd go funious! Every weekend, while she's at Vancouver, her stupid BF would call her from 8 am to 2,00am non-stop! (15 min intervals). At the same time, her lucky neighbors would have to put up with ringing noise while trying to study, thinking "Don't they get the point that she's not there? Geez!" At right, her light is on forever, "work is supposed to be done at night". COME ON guys don't you know that line!
Last, we want to congraduate her success in the past years in smu. Her badminton skill will always win the glory for smus and her voice will always sing

beautiful notes to all. Good luck and forever young!

Thanks to Y.A., Ah Mo (M.W.), C.W., C.L.s., J.C., R.C., C.S., S.S.s., ai ren (Y.M.), I.W., O.L., M.H., L.L., S.L., A.H., roomate C.L., V.L.s, A.W., J.L., C.T., G.C.,

S.D., Bark Lun Jiae (D.T.)

Nancy Norris



# Kermit was a big huge frog. Thanks for everything SMU! P.S. You boys were good but JH was the best



# Sina Noureddin

Here's a little something for John Q. Public: I entered SMU in grade 8 and soon found that it wasn't as tough as I had expected. Some of the teachers might describe me as sarcastic, but then again, some teachers might also say that there is no place they would rather be than at the school. Seriously though, it opened a lot of doors for me and I have no regrets for coming. I'd have to say that my favourite teachers were my physics teachers and my biology teacher (riiiight!). As for all my friends, I'd like to say: Foley, you still make me sick, but you were one of the most real people I ever met. Scott, for an "esquire," you've got some pretty white skin. Colleen, you've trusted me so far, so trust me when I tell you that you should be proud of who you are (no matter where you go!). Jacki, it's just a fro; get over it. Robyn, there's more to me than a sack of feathers (I think). Pat G., don't major in chromatography (if there is such a thing). Sean, do something about that nasty neck-burn (just kidding!). Amanda, don't become a chemistry teacher. Keir, what can I say, the name says it all. Rohanna, take care and I truly wish you the best in everything. Dev, the truth is out there. Oh yeah, Colleen everything and the best of luck to you all.



### Chantal Nowak

Chantal came to SMUS in grade eight. The little Swiss girl managed to adjust to the Canadian environment very quickly, (especially to the likes of certain Canadian ment). The most important thing in her life though, will always be her love for music, particularly the violin for which she will most be remembered. In the last couple of years, she's been in and out of school (more out!!!) due to her busy music schedule at the Conservatory. In the future, Chantal plans to study music in the States or Europe, and later she will certainly want to return to Canada.

Col.S. I'll always remember my first pal. -J.Ť.B. had a great time. -B.S. almost electrocuted at "wonders of wonders miracle...."

-Kitty, L&C forever + Mr.D.D. stories. -S.A. thank for being a sweetie. -C.M. finished your math? -T.R. call me in 5 yrs. -B. Bell 'luv ya' -Rich.G. great knowing you. -K.B. (Mickey Mouse) my bestest pal, tee hee didn't keep agreements. Best of luck in the future GRAD 97!!

"Music is the voice of all sorrow, all joy. It needs no translation."





### Sharon Om

The "Coca-cola" girl arrived in SMU 3 years ago and is now one of the seven prefects of Winslow House. This night owl stunned all her peers with her intelligence, superb grades, and her amazing ability to learn fairly "useful" phrases in other languages, especially Cantonese. Right now, Sharon is known in the Korean community as the respectable Big Sister, UNNIE, or something along those lines. Sharon can be a real pest sometimes, and you would have expenenced this if you sat next to her in physics class in grade 11. You would be able to find an exquisite aggregate of "un/happy faces" and "stickman" on your worksheets when she tried to explain the many theones of physics. Hopefully, Sharon's artistic skills will improve in her grade 12 year! Although Sharon does not study biology, she has a particular interest in other people's "lungs" and this word has been in her Chinese vocabulary for ages. She learnt how to "appreciate" other people's lungs from her ex-roommate, ML, whom she misses dearly. Sharon also acquired the "aenal" attack skill from ML, but she stopped the "bombing" this year, due to the lack of human targets because no one dares to walk under her window anymore. Apart from hangin' with her boarding pals, Sharon is also involved with: ED,DI,EB,OY,KE,NT,CO,LA, and her most recent addition,PK. Who's next?

# Serena Peng

Serena came to S.M.U.S at the age of 15. She was a bit shy due to the ability of her English while she first came here. However as a lovely character like her, she soon made friends with everyone and got alone with them. She spent most of her time with A.T. C.L. J.L. and her sister B.P. for the first year. After her sister graduated that year, she started living independently and grew stronger and mature for the rest of the school life. She planned either going to S.F.U. or challenging another new style of life in Japan next year. Finally she would like to say thanks for all the friends that had supported her and having fun together, see u all again soon!



# Virginia Peterson

To all the special ones, (and everyone else that I can't mention cause I don't have enough room). RG, you have been there through it all, bad perms, broken arms and black hair dye. You've never let me forget all the moments that I wanted to: marshmallows, the chapel, JP, the Robbie, and serenades. Remember the red roses, the feasts and Rueben (that was his name wasn't it?) always your EBPLP, and... the chicken LAID the egg!!!

RE, let's head up to WL for some late night mini golf, and keep an ear out for the truck. Our mission to find the Oak Bay Tea Party wasn't impossible, but don't let the boys drive. Call me some time and we'll take a spin in the yellow truck (what's your number again?) KL, sandcastle weekend rocked, but no bringing the boys back to the trailer park. Keep out of hot tubs with creepy guys and don't forget your visitor's badge. Remember to bring your shoes cause the ground's HOT!!! Look out for the Bikini B'tches and creepy old men. Never forget car rallies, parties dances (and all the prep before). Don't tip down the stairs especially if the cops are there (now where was that party again?-ask GT he remembers lots from that night "were YOU there?") Life's biggest dilemma-what to wear!!! I'll give you hints, but not if Maury's on. You're always there stay beautiful, I love you all.

# Keith Phillips

Keith came to SMU in grade 6 straight out of Sidney with the biggest gnn and the littlest eyes you'll ever see. Keith soon settled in to the Middle School with Luke and the gang He remembers his busy social life which included parties every weekend, spin the bottle, Metallica, hanging down town, and talking to Maria til 4 in the morning. In grade 8 Keith started one of his traditions and went on his first trip to Silver Star. To Keith the days at Middle School were made up of screwin' around and having Uncle JJ yelling at him and everyone else. As Keith grew up he finally entered the Senior School and as each party passed by he felt more and more at home. Due to these parties and Rugby (Some of his greatest highlights of SMU) Keith probably has more false teeth than PKT himself. Grade 10 was all about hanging Russ, Rob and the guys, "hacking", snowboarding, rugby, and watching Star Wars (Past times he still greatly enjoys). That year Keith (Quife) went to Mt. Baker with the SMU and spent some quality time on the hill with Duncan (Spunk), Shinga (Shwingo), Sunny and had to live around a couple of wired guys related to Mr. Piete. In grade 11 Keith decided that he had spent way too much time on the bus to/from Sidney so he intelligently (???) moved into boarding where he became a Bolton Bud. Keith roomed with Danny Tang (DT, Down Town) and he will never forget the memories that they shared. He would like to thank DT for teaching him, by personal example, that the best way to party is to do it a couple of times a week until 4 in the morning. Sometimes DT's "wild party nature" was too much for Keith so he found sanctuary on Mits's (D.M.J.H.G.D-T) and Martin's (Martinno) floor where they had parties of their own! Since then the 2 of them (Keith and Mits) have become very good friends (Back-packing Europe this summer). Now in grade 12 Keith is at the height of his career, but he still has the mentality of a 4 year old. 10 years down the road when we think of Keith we will remember fancy flask. Raves, playing "music" with "Mad Man", Dances (Chandeliers and Window jumping), his appearances in assembly, snowboarding, Bolton Buds (Joint Effort!!), rugby, numerous hair styles (Some good, many bad), Molding Mud and his most famous saying, "Anyhow ... "Keith wants to thanks to Mana and all his friends for a great 7 years at SMU!!! To Scott and Todd, Keep on Unicycling!!!!!!







### Michelle Phipps

# Joanne Poon

Joey, the bananna, amved at SMU in grade 12 and joned the Winslow House. First impressions: short, skinny, maybe a little manly, but on the whole pretty cool. She was a buff gal and stayed in shape by taking daily walks to Mt. Jae... of course only to enjoy the scenery. Her favourite pastime: seducing guys and then rejecting them. Although after a while she found the perfect match: the stud with the MX-6 who loved curry chicken. School life was a breeze for Jo. Instead of studying, she spent hours gossiping on the phone or chillin' out with Apple (EL) and B-size (AS). These three were inseparable and were always making a not (but who knows what rat they talked about!) JP's rad personality made it a cinch for her to make finends and in no time she was fully in with the gang. Every weekend, it was impossible to locate her, somebody ought to get her a cell (hint, hint). Coming to SMU was a huge change for her but she adapted well. She loved SMU so much that for two weekends in a row she stayed on school campus and checked in every hour!

AS & EL: Thank for being there for me when I need you guys. I will always be there for you if anyone of you get into trouble. AS: Don't drink too much juce, or else you would turn to a non-German. EL: Ha, another year for you at SMU! Enjoy. I hope you will find someone who can go tambe with you. IW & MW. Don't forget to invite me to your wedding. EH: Thank for being my Dai Lo. Si-Foo: Be careful, don't fall on the street! DL: "Juice, juice, I want more juice" SS: "I love woo ying". YA: I love you, bark po! CL: Thank for all the time that you spent with me. I am glad that I met you this final year at SMU. All those people who "inched" me: Watch out, I will come back for you.



# Michael Preston

The memories were great but it's the friends I'll remember. EC "All our careers are useless someday we'll be working for you". RB "This place ain't quite the same". RE "I'll always be a midnight joker". GF "I don't have any answers". VL "Nice point of view". KP "Remember it's not how many times you spin, it's how long you stay up there".

To the rest, "Far better is it to dare mighty things, to win glorious triumphs, even though checkered by failure, than to take rank with those poor spirits who neither enjoy much or suffer much, because they live in the gray twilight that knows not victory nor defeat. "- Teddy Roosevelt



Colleen entered SMU in Grade 5 and was instantly a hit with the boys with her combination of a tantalizing "good girl" act and her sexy hair floop. Due to her school-girl phase, her earlier days basically consisted of studying and eight o'clock bedtimes. She continued her good girl act all throughout Middle School and well into Senior School, until she finally learned to loosen up. (Not without some help of course!!) She is utterly elated when realizing that she will never have to play soccer again nor endure another torturous 2400 meter run- both being her least favourite memories about the school. And of course, how could we ever forget Colleen and her acute anal-retentiveness? Not a day passed when she did not bring a minimum of 12 sharp, Venus HB pencils to each test (lined up on her desk in descending size order, eraser side right). And also, her insistence on having a calculator during English tests! Soon Colleen will have her PhD in Psychology and will implement her mind control plan throughout the world- "I am the one in control". Still, no matter where Colleen goes or what she does, she will always be our #1 floop goddess.





# Andrea Sam

Andrea a.k.a. B-size and Goun De, arrived at SMU for her final year. She joined the Winslow House and was forced to live with the craziest but coolest roommate, who was obsessed with cows!! (T.B.) Although she didn't know anyone, she was able to make friends in no time. (Thanks to the BIG LAKE) Within the first month, she got married (S.S), and was having an affair (D.L.)! Boy, what a FLIRT!! Andrea loved going for leisurely strolls to the park with her two pals, apple (E.L.) and banana (J.P.)...you know, the swings are fun!! Everybody in the house loved her, especially the houseparents. For two weeks in a row, they didn't want to do anything other than see her every hour on the dot! During the weekends she would spend her time hanging out with gals and they would always drink JUICE together. (Baby Duck Licks!) Andrea loved the alphabet, especially the letter (O (hmm... wonder why?) In the everings, she would be spotted playing B-ball with an a\$\$wipe (S.H.) and her swell god bro (I.W.). This year has been great for Andrea. Andrea's last words:

It's been a hella funk year thank to all my chillin' buds: Apple and Banana, luv ya 4-ever, don't know what I'd do without you. Stay sweet and pretty always! S.S. & D.L., the coolest babes ever, the sex was sweet, I'll miss U tons, juice buds till the end! Y.M., Y.A. & O.L., thanks for all the support. I'll never forget you guys. I.W., the awesomest bro on the earth, keep laughin' (he he). S.H., hey wicked jap boy, you still gotta kill me!

Luv ya babe. J.H., don't 4-get me! E.H., U made Smu special. Winslow girls, you rule! 4 the Koreans: sa lang hey!! Best of luck to the rest of the gang, I'll always remember U!! Last but not least, T.B., you're the best, I luv you girl, party hard and smile!! Thanks SMU for all the memories!!

### Daniel Sander

DANIEL SANDER (1995-97) was born and raised on the northshore of Vancouver. He entered SMUS in grade eleven for his final two years of high school. A prefect of Harvey House, Dan co-captained the 1st XI soccer team while also enjoying 1st XV rugby. Originally planning to continue his athletic career, Dan has recently shifted his priorities towards his studies. Next year Dan plans to get back to the big city to study business at the University of British Columbia.





# Amy Slegg

To everyone......thanks for coming out. And please, stop looking at my pants.

# Nicholas Stanger

He sat beneath the mighty tree and put his arms about his knees. Despite the throng of people and despite the palpable curtain that separated his world from theirs, he felt something like a mood of calm cut through the gibbering of his thoughts. He looked at the glaring whitewash of the church and thought 'turtles' eggs,' and then he remembered a snatch of a nonsense rhyme from his childhood. He stood up suddenly and began to lift his medical robe, but was forced down gently by a nun. Sometimes he heard voices. Sometimes they made him do things by threatening not to go away until he did what he was told. Sometimes they made him itch all over until he was in a frenzy of ripping his own flesh with his nails. Sometimes the gap between herself and the world would yawn so wide that he would look down and see an infinite void beneath his feet; those were the times when he would run wildly, trying to find the ground, crashing into invisible things that made him bruise and bleed.



-Louis de Bernieres



# Christopher Stephens

What can I say about graduating from SMU? Although only having been here a few months it's been a great year and these are some of the memories I'll take home with me of 96/97:

- 1). Friday nights at John boys' with JG, NA, JM, KP, BE, ER, CN, GB, ST.
- 2). Surfing Cadboro bay during the freak Pacific storm!
- 3). Snowboarding over Christmas with the boys.
- 4). "With no direction known, and complete unknown, just like a Rolling Stone"
- 5). Saturday mornings physically challenged.
- 6). Some fine Victorian raves with AS, KH, JG, KP, MB, SF, RW.
- 7). Common room fights with the sensei JG and AT, LW, ST, SF THANKS TO THE GRAD CLASS OF 98!

REMEMBER - FACE YOUR FEARS , LIVE YOUR DREAMS!

# Sylvia Suen

Sylvia came to SMUS in Gr. 11 straight from Hong Kong. Her first impression to people was a quiet, shy and good girl. However, becoming more involved in the Winslow House boarding community.... her wild nature began to reveal itself more and more... Don't even come close to her in snow ball fight, you will regret it! She found herself very relaxed and happy during choir class in Gr. 11 and therefore she practised her vocal skills in her bathroom. Her frequent singing in the bathroom shows that she has the potential of becoming a famous and successful singer in the future. Sylvia is a neat freak in Gr. 11... a single speck of dust on the carpet will drive her crazy. Then of course, immediate action will take place and you'll see her vacuuming the carpet with great strength and determination. Besides, her sink and shower are always sparkling clean! However the situation has changed in Gr. 12...... In grade 12, she has become more cheerful and prettier too! This is all due to her daily "beauty nap" after school and after prep! She has a tendency to sleep whenever she has nothing to do! To her, sleeping is very important! She would like to say thanks to YA (her ex-roommate), SO, OL, SS, YM, MH, CS, JL, CL, IW and AH for being so nice to her. Anyways, we will all miss her in the future and her cheerful smile will always be her trade mark! Best wishes to you!





### Connie Sze

Connie (aka On! On! & "inch-fly"), joined Winslow House when she was in grade 10. She changed from being a shy girl to a well-respected prefect in her house. Well done! Connie is "always-known-as" a friendly and kind person amongst her buds: SS,KP YA,JL,OL,YM,SS,SO,MH, and of course, her roommate, SP, whom she thinks is very cute and sweet. The above are also on Connie's list of "Mahjong Victims" and here's a word of advice to ALL her "mahjong legs": ONLY play with Connie immediately after Thursday night, 9pm! Connie is very diligent and can get pretty stressed sometimes, especially during the "exam seasons". Her most frequently used phrase during the months of January and June is: "Ngo sei la!", which means "I am soooo dead!" in English and "Yo estoy rendida!", if you prefer it in espagnol. After having served in the Food Committee last year, Connie decided to have her own "Brown Hall" in her very own room! Her daily specials of authentic Chinese delicacies are as follows: MON. - Chicken wings with oyster sauce; TUES. - Rice with Chinese sausages; WED. - Braised mushrooms with dried scallops; THURS. - Shrimp ree noodles; FRI. - a trip to Chinatown!! Of course, this schedule rotates just like Brown Hall's. To those that are constantly ill: give Connie a call and she will deliver hot, steaming porridae to the Infirmary......GUARANTEED! There is no service charge, but tips are always welcome!

# Danny Tang

"DT" - Downtown!" "Where are you going after school?" "DT - Downtown!" Everyone called Danny Tang "DT or Downtown" He came to SMUS in grade 9 from Hong Kong. He began by learning English in E.S.L. with VLaw, EHung.... Out of his memories, Rugby is the best memory for him. He was playing right - wing and a long distant try was always on! Four years of boarding life in Bolton House, he had so many fun times. Every time on duty, he loves to sing a song to everyone to wake them up in the morning. At night, he and VLaw were cooking noodles and did other "THINGS" as usual. He will miss all the night time telephone talks with ANg. Finally, he would like to thank Mr. & Mrs. Cameron and Mrs Greenwell. Best of luck in the future. "DT"! TAKE CARE!



## Irvin Teo

Irvin <1.T> arrived in SMUS in 1995. Totally new to the concept of boarding (WHAT ???? CURFEW ??!!!!THIS IS A ROOM ???). Comin' from the 'FINE' city of SINGAPORE. Having a Korean room-mate for the two years he was in SMUS. Recalling the first two-weeks, the two questions that would come up."What's that smell !!???"..." What the heck is Kim-Chee!!!??"..."no thanx, I'd rather order Pizza..!!!"(nothing else but Pizza-Hut). Hey... he never thought boarding would be so fun!Never forget the times durin' the badminton session...(to all the past school players.." never thought we do it,eh ?? HAHa <in your face>) <1.T> being a extreme X-Files freak in the first year would not miss a x-file show for the world (fridays 9.00pm)..! What the HECK!!!... only two miserable Arcades ???!("^@(!!!! At least he had total domination in Daytona USA...INDY 500...(the list goes on....)Feel lucky, Punk ???! Then came Grad 12 (then came the pizza-cravin')... "Brown-hall ? what's that?" Then comes the time where he has to prepare for World war 3... to that dreaded N.S camp. Hey..all good things come to an end(always remember that, nothing is free)..... To all you guys (B.O, B.T, laughing-boy, Fly, S.H, Y.H, S.D, K.Y, L.L, D.T) keep cool..to my brother (Kick Butt !!)... & SMOOTH-SAILIN'.....

# Sarah Thomson

I came to smu in grade six, and since then Thanks to the memorable moments that have gotten me through: A.J.H- What is the secret to the cookie recipe? Flicking chunkers off the pillow at cattle point with A.J.H. and H.G. "No, that's not an old lady sprawled on the front doorstep, it's just Hayley." Trips in the V.W.van and Mt. Washington chalets with J.M. Bond girls, espressos(this must be a joke!), rumble from the top bunk, bushes, boats,and hair-boy, "La di doo, la di de". "Guys, it smells in here". No, not U2! J.C.-my bike's making a funny noise... ( You'll have to excuse the initials and the run of lame inside jokes.) "I do not regret the things! have done, but the things! didn't do."My plans for next year are to go away for a while ("we shall overcome"). Thanks to all the grads and teachers these six years interesting.





# Gary Tongue

Gary came to Canada during the summer of '85 at the dear age of five as an innocent little English boy and began his S.M.U. career in grade 1. (he was sentenced for life that fall) The memories that followed are ones that will be with him forever. Twelve years of happy times and nights filled with great memories and some not so great memories. Other nights, well let's just say weren't remembered at all. Memories include G.F streaking the Causeway in his tighty whities singing circus tunes, the voluptuous one J.B, four foot mystery dates courtesy of D.D. Some interesting nights spent with G.G., J.V, and D.S and as for C.G and L.W, that will never be forgotten or forgiven. There was never anything like a quiet Saturday night hockey game with E.C. As for K.L. my little B.R. you know where you will always be, S.S.I.M.H. p.s. What?....Nothing! On the athletic front Gary was successful on the rugby field most of all, attempted soccer and basketball but Gary was never quite cut out for either. He found much more success on the old hockey rink and on the baseball diamond. Gary leaves this humble establishment with an abundance of knowledge in many subjects for which he thanks his friends.

- Peace I'm outta here.

# Borden Tseng





### Matthew Turner

5 long years at Smus have racked up so memones it's hard to cap 'ern all up a paragraph. Middle school meant chillin with d w(tever), n.s. r.m and latter the legend r b. K.w was their from the very start and still is 4 life. As they say can't sleep mad. Middle school was up and down but it ended with a bang and swoosh c.g and I were out of their unhammed. Senior school, grade nine was a long year of learning the hard way. Don't tace wash gr. 12's, making taces in chapel and writing a letter that all most toasted c.w. and I's existence. Grade nine will always be remebered as tour time. The meeting of the boys and demonstrating our selves as canadian conseurs of many things. Boys=Trouble and their was plenty of it like going out to the golf course with Mr. Lucky and getting in way too deep. m.h thanx. E.c was the start of unexplored terntory and the name rookie really developed it's meaning. Special thanx always goes to to and a.a. Dyre lest wholy that must of been a record for me and m.g.d. Corona the magical tropical grl, tall, thin and always a good time. Memones of the boys were always best when meeting at the keg for refreshments. Senior years were the best as I could see the end of the tunneld.a thanx for all that aqua time at elk lake and I think you owe me a slurpee. 400m will always be the magic distance. B.B was salvation through the slog memones of camping, maracaibo, car rallies, valentines dances, snowboarding. Oct 22 I think!! and something pesky named Jp. C.w always meant camping. V.W's and hanging with m.g.d. I'd like to thank everyone especially b.b, k.w. c.w., d.w. Hawaii 5-0 comes strapped.

Nicolas Vagvolgyi

Nine years of riding the school bus just about sums up my life at the school. Darek: Rock on.





# Pat Vephula

The infamous Kulaputt (Pat) Vephula of Bangkok, Thailand came to SMUS three years ago "really enjoying" his stay. Although not having any idea what to expect or do, he soon became known for maintaining his OWN style by his own walk, words, clothes and music. Although not involving himself and never staying on campus after school, he somehow became recognized by everyone for maintaining his funkly hairstyle, consistently trying to have more bottles of cologne than anyone else, continuing his weekend routine for the last three years, and for his unmatched pool skills (to Bul and Chu, you know I'm da best!!). During his stay at Harvey House, the people that knew him usually had one question on their mind: "Yo Pat! Do you have new ones?" He soon took over Saitoman's "Ego" making it even larger by looking at the mirror for hours and no one will ever forget his philosophies on women and life. He will always remember hanging out with the Old Crew - Sach, T, Domino, Chu, Flip, Flavio, Danny, and Henry - I'll never forget ye! Especially to Ris, thanks for everything you've done for me and for the good times we had. Yet at the same time he will never forget the New crew - LEM, MO, FLY, VAS, Kevin, U-Kawa, Dave, Lance, and Ese Nen, - it's been a long cool nde. To the Koreans - JHK, JWK, and KTK and to the Cantonese - D-Tang and Gordon. I'd like to recognize the Grad of 96' - Saito, Vincent, Bul, and Ese Campos. Finally to LEM, MO, and FLY, you know I'm Da Man!!

# Jeffrey Vertes

Jeff spent a prominent two years at St. Michaels from which he will most remember the signed - out weekends spent with the boys, rugby seasons/tour, the points competition with G.G., Johnny Utah's house was useful, Bowmans party, acting/grease, the very eventful car ralley's - " We lay pipe .....", end of an era, Whistler Spring Break, the long vacations, and laying pipe at cast parties.

Thanks to my broker G.G., J.Blowman ,Conjur Man Dan, Double D, C.M., G. Fedork, Eddy.F, and Gay-T for all the good times. The snow cack was cool.

Peace to all the nickel and dimers as I roll by in my NSX.

Good luck runnin the school C.K., T.S, M.D, S.T. It's all good !!!

I came , I saw , I conquered!!!!! Hollywood here I come!!! See ya in the movies!!!!







#### Ivan Wan

From grade 8 to 12, Ivan has been a "boarder-lifer" in SMU. And although he never really got down to school work like he is suppose to, he got through the years with more than he needs. Sports; from Basketball in the winter to Rugby in the spring. Musical; from playing the trumpet at 7:30 a.m. to choral singing "The Lord's Prayer" in Chapel. Leadership; from Head of Harvey House to Day Prefect... all of which Ivan gained in SMU from day one to graduation. Relentless, determined, and hard working are what he is made out of. Many fun times with D.E.I.V. (Danny Tang, Eric Hung, Ivan Wan, Vince Law) for 4 years, from Sliver Stars (2 days ski - 3 days rest) to the rugby field, too bad it didn't make out at grad. Will remember roommates Henry W., Luis C., and Dan S.. Special thanks to Bruce K., Ted A., the Jones, and the Johnsons, whose helped Ivan through hard time and shared special memories. Basketball motto: "Offence wins games, defence wins Championships!" "Dream Senior-B-ball-starting-line-up": Hsu Ming Hung, Ivan Wan, Jo Ng, Ji Hoon, and Shingo. Never forget England-Scotland rugby tour with Wilson Chu. Cori L., Joanne P., Donna L., David L., Tom T., Mark H., Michelle H., Sylvia S., Sze On-On, Yvonne A., Susan S., Vanessa Y., Josh W., the Js' brothers, Sunny K., Martin J., Chris L., Carol W., Simon L., and Mark Y. are all good buddies. God-sister Andrea Sam is always there when needed the most. Will always, <u>ALWAYS</u> remember Mellissa Wong, Quote from an infamous person: "If you fail to prepare, be prepared to fail!"

Lorelei Wev

And how nothing will be restrained from them, which they have imagined to do. -Genesis 11:6



# Jessica White

THANKYOU FOR MAKING NOISE

-Stephen Jesse Bernstein



### Lauren Wilkinson

3 years of boarding - I ain't sane no more. Electric Jello. Eager Beavers. Complaints of pictures in the van. Take me home and eat me. Dark of the Moon. Cream soda drush. Common room. Aliens everywhere. Brown Hall's grilled cheese sandwiches. I feel the need, I feel the need of respect. We were just buying eggs. er prumpkins. Hair dye. Tea time. Dirty photography. Garabaldi, I survived the road to Hana I really think I should have gone to bed tonight, but just one drink and there's some people to meet. 1010 View. If you think you're tred now just wait until 3. The night is young Channel 75. There are some bad people on the rise. Trash. Rock on. Andy. Gyro. Willows. Because she's the cheese and I'm the meacroni. Don't you even go there. Water bottles. Ernest. The reservoir. I'm a jock. Paric. Gargoyles. My So-Called Life. I see your true colors and that's why I love you. Walks to freeman before brunch. Where has my Chris gone? Now you're here, now you're away. Snookums and Poops. I've been waiting too long. Edmonton Zoo. I've been looking so long at my pictures of you that I almost believe that they're real. Executive House. Lay pipe. Jenny, Jenny who can I turn to? 867-5309. Don't give it to her, you gotta give it to me. I'm Casper, the dopest ghost in town. Obsessed. Little boys. Paralizers. Cabo San Lucas. The Cabin. Port Albern. Burik. We're flipping. Crash. Band way too early GGC ake big kid. E-mail. Romance novels. New Wave Hookers 2. Hot dogs at the movies and bowling alley. We will smoke the pipe and there will be no lies between us. Hi Cop. Karatacse. Walk through the arrows and jump over the speed bumps. Bust a move. Crimped Hair. Poodle Gang. Thank God it's Firday. I've been a bad freggin. I can be a man in motion all I need is a pair of wheels. I can't tell the difference between 5 and 10. Hound Dog. Black Russian. Nukchu. Punkys. When the luck is gone, the brain is shot, the liquor we still got. Remember me and smile.



# Richard Williams

"If there is a God, I'm really sorry, all I ever wanted to do was row in the river like Suzie Q, or maybe be a cow (cause they're cool), yell 'ricola' at the top of my lungs, pop an Ecky and just live."

Rich Williams



It has been 12 years since I first arrived at the Junior school and looking back, a lot of things have changed. Obviously, I have grown up (In body at least.... you can decide if I have in mind!), and my circle of friends has changed many times. When I look at the Grade one kids today, it is hard for me to believe that I was once that small, I was once so foolish and guilible (hether), and that I once looked that cute in those little gray shorts. But I would like to think that I have not changed completely. I hope that there still exists in me a bit of that wide-eyed innocence and carefree jubilance that all the Grade ones seem to have. I hope that I still don't take myself or life too seriously — after all, they're both pretty bizarre when you really examine them. And of course, I hope I never get to the point where I can't enjoy a good game of kissing tag now and again; ) When I look back 12 years from now, what will I want to keep from whom I am today? I have confidence that I'll still love to slack, still be a helpless and obsessive flirt, and that I'll be equally cheesy. Maybe I'll even figure out how to talk a bit less and listen a bit more. I certainly hope that I'll always remain sassy.... but at the same time, strangely \_irreverent\_. However, no matter what happens, I'm sure that even 50 years from now I'll still have a smile on my face and a bit of that Grade 1 immaturity left in me.How can one condense 12 years of life into one 332-word yearbook write-up? Everyone else seems to love quotes so hey, who am I to buck the trend?



"I wonder if I'll be held responsible for this?" — Lucas, Empire Records — Good-bye everyone. I'll miss you all. Love Keir, your Euro-stud.



### Amanda Wilson

"He who does not understand your silence will probably not understand your words" -E. Hubbard

### David Wilson

Starting SMU in grade one enforced a prep root upon myself. This in addition with watching too many 80's movies and sitcoms inspired me to bring back the "Brat Pack". Snowboarding, rock climbing, mountaineering and kayaking inspired me to work a little harder, get into a good school and live the rest of my life trying to "work less and get paid more" - IB. As long as you have the fever you'll never be a basket weaver.





# Mellissa Wong

Ah Mo first came to SMU in grade 11, and the first thing that fasonated her was a certain basketball player, I.W. In no time, she fell into the river of love with her basketball idol and had devoted herself to "The Greatest Man in Wan's World" Memorable moments W's basketball, W's b-ball games, W's b-ball sweatshirt, W's roses, W's phone call every night, Sigh).

Melissa's extraordinary file shife. Ah Mo is known as the racoon in Timmis. After light's out, she would work with all her glow-in-the-dark stationeries. Considerate girl always to toe at mid-night, not to wake the dead, never thought of avenging the underground musicians (J.H., D.S.) who woke both her and her roommate up early in the momining and would never shut up when they're studying. She's a mid-night chef and she serves her finend in her sexy underwear. Weekends' night are feasts and mahiging game with Mel's Ah Moe, Maggie, Carol and Amy.

and manjong game win Mels An Mole, Maggile, Califor and Anny.

Her attitude in class Mos unique way of learning in class hasn't been approved by teachers yet. She listens in class with her eyes shut. Like an enlightened Buddah, she's able to absorb knowledge and yet her face shows an expression of calm peace. Sometimes when she's attending in the Gardin, you might see her watering her notes, hoping speciation will occur, but it resulted in a puddle everytime. To all the house-parents and teachers, their grade was not affected "Inside story! Insane iton throwing snowball at the clueless even in the snowball fight.

Special thanks to the people who were there for her when she's upset and tried their best to cheer her up at times that were most needed (though all failed to succeed).

Thanks to her patient roommates, M.P., S.F., R.N., J.C., and all her friends, especially Ah Moe (A.N.), and last but not least 'I.W. is the greatest.' And love to her sister, and all her friends on the third floor of Timmis.

Love to all and good luck in the future

# Kathryn Wynn

Kath was let into SMU in 1989 on probation...her school in Ottawa didn't teach her how to pass private school entrance exams. One year at the Junior School and Robin, Rachel and the viola girls whipped me into shape. The middle school brought group moves, bad hair days, skinny dipping at Arbutus cove and some girl outside of Pezzazz that looks like the other hooker from Pretty Woman. Grade 8 at the new MS introduced endless lunchtime loafing on the field with the girls and all the old boys: Jo dumbo, Luis Tequilla, Bush, Cam. A top to California gave birth to Skin—angel, peepshow, keep creating.

Thanks to the moor I met the second biggest butt...Michelle—always wonderful, remember to stay awake an extra half hour and someday I'll have a hammock that will remind me of you. Desolation with these crazies; a boat, Sir Turtle, enya and something beautiful. Cayman 94 filled with memories: rolling in the sand, time capsule (can't wait), where is my head and look at those (&#@ing lions?!/ Mother nature will never forget nightswimming (mb.at,rb.pb), the blue dye-night (thanks Whit) and 2 flooded toilets, the cooler girls, mudbaths—the lighthouse (cops), Jen Ford's smiles, fuzzy wuzzy carpets (bb.bb.dw,mt), two punks and a South African at Goldstream, Casey—the Alarnys van, my ultimate embarrassment (SSI.H2O.ince dinner); Mana—thanks for your watch, your speedy voice and SS on SSI; pumpkinlest 96, Grabba Jabba—how come I always get the early Saturday a.m. shift? Always go inside, Polar Ice, 2 finends, a brother, a sister—3days—one lake. Becks—you're the best diver! know (sorny about the volvo Matt). If I can't let! you in person in Japan, don't forget grass and spaghetti on the beach. To the beball girls...good luck; you're all so beautiful (even with l'ambiance at KR's T). Clao bellas.

To Matt—it began in OshKoshb'Gosh on a rock. The scar will always be there, me too. The lake—my haven. Mom, dad and Jo — I love you Live life, love life, absorb everything. The packing's been great...see you at the next stop.





# Vanessa Yang

I've accomplished more then I bargained for here at SMUS. I've met Michael Jackson, been skinned in math, but what is a grumit? It all started off with walk and talks with DA. So how did I get my sleeping bag phobia? Then on to the fields of gold . . . the senior school. It's so cute I can eat it. Who knew life could exist after the middle school? Let's give a polite "Word up to the Hommies of yesterday". Grade 11 and 12 are defined as life after Bianca's party, this was where it all began. Squeeze me Luis. LW, you are so slick, so come on baby light my fire! CJ Dried pork? "I keep away from that run-around toe!" JW are you wearing any panties? Whatever AC, Loser, why don't you get a life gir!! Ooooh weeee she's sooo fine! I love CA 4EVAL JP whether it's on a chair, under the table, or in the chem. lab, just remember, you are wonderful and loved. MD, come to my seminar, and you can have all this! Orientica! Beautiful, peautiful, peautiful, peautiful, peautiful, peautiful, and loved by the needs ID when there's heaven? To the A.O.S. crew hats off to T.L.W.! Boom, boom, cause it's good pain, and not bad pain. Jeremy speaks, pizzaman delivers, and we all love our calendar boy, but who's Walter? 84 I 4GET! Thank you Mom for being more than just a mom. Dad for your support and patience. And to all those who made SMUS an unforgettable expenence I will never forget you! I love you all.

P.S. I'll see you in Mexico when I retire!

Ken Yeh

Ken Yeh, (AKA Andy-Dragon-DuyLo-SDF worshiper) came to SMUS in Grade 10, and sailed thru grade 12 with procrastination... He acts like a "dailo", but he is really a "young innocent child......" He'll always remember making fun of the Su man, licking SDF's shoes, and "interneting Die-low" with FYMA, and "whazup-ing" Da Tree. Andy will continue hanging around at Yaohan Center, searching for more ramen.... (breakfast, lunch, dinner, late-night), and be a BIG "brother" to all fellow Taiwanese (boys & girls, of course!). Andy's wishes to become either a singer (yeah right!), or an engineer. His sense of presence will always be remembered at SMUS..... (and also St. Margaret's for weird reasons)...





# ATHLETIC DIRECTOR'S REPORT



What a year!! Following on the terrific accomplishments of 1995-96 (two BC championships), the school went one better this time round with an amazing three provincial titles. In early November, by virtue of a 1-0 win over Collingwood, the Senior Girls Field Hockey squad successfully defended their BC crown, while, in March in Port Alberni, the Junior Boys Basketball group capped a dominating 34-2 campaign with a convincing victory over Brookswood in the provincial title game. Then, at somewhat long odds, on the final Saturday of May, the 1st XV, by defeating Shawnigan 27-17 in the final, joined the 1991 and 1992 teams as BC Rugby champions.

There were numerous other successes as well. A great number of athletes again represented the school in some 15 sports. Both the Senior Girls and Boys Soccer teams came within a goal of reaching the provincial Final Fours, and, under the direction of Mr. Dave Fisher, there was a continued revival of cricket. The Tennis team defied the odds to place 4th at the BC Tournament, and the Senior Girls Basketball squad, in its first year in the AAA ranks reached the Island final and then provincial championships. Likewise, an overachieving band of Cross Country runners also reached the BCs.

With both the New and Old Gyms operating efficiently, and with the surface of the playing fields continuing to improve, scheduling for both PE and Athletics was again much simpler than in past years.

Many kudos must go to a talented group of coaches, who once more went well beyond the call of duty to produce quality players and teams. Likewise, thanks to all the support staff personnel who toiled so unselfishly behind the scenes.

To the graduates, thank you and best of luck in the future. To those returning, continue the high traditions set by those who have gone before you.

Mr. Ian Hyde-Lay SMUS Athletic Director



Mr Bruce Kuklinski



Ms. Kim Poland



Ms. Judy Tobacco Head of P.E.

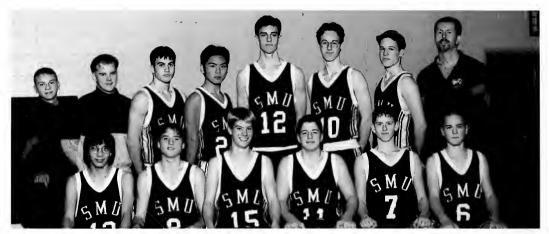
# **BADMINTON**



B.R: C.Wong, J.Goldstein, J.Williams, A.Lin, D.Tseng, Miss. Jane Hannan F.R; M.Hau, J.Hatton, M.Miller, D.Lee, C.Jones Missing: I.Teo, B.Tseng, S.Desember, N.Chng, R.Knott, G.Chan, A.Ng, A.Weng, C.Wilson, T.Johnson, C.Tse, G.Cheung, M.Wong, Mr Peter Gardiner



# JUNIOR BOYS BASKETBALL



B.R.: K. Morin, Mr. Mike Shaw, C. Kilshaw, K. Simon, J. Gainor, R. Greenwood, R. Jennings, Mr. Ted Anderson F.R.: J. Lam, T. Street, M. Wighton, C. Clark, D. Boticki, J. Reeve.

# 1997 BC CHAMPIONS

It was quite a year. Despite considerable preseason pressure and expectations, the team met all challenges in winning 34 of 36 games, and all seven tournaments entered including the BC Invitational in mid March in Port Alberni.

The squad, a number of whom had suffered through a disappointing season a year before, had talent, size and depth, and put all of these characteristics to good use throughout. The only two games lost were to perennial rival Vancouver College in early December, and then in league play to Claremont. This latter defeat was balanced by three sound victories over the same opponent in tournament action, while the hoped for rematch with College never materialized as the Mainlanders were upset by St. Thomas More in a local playoff, and so never reached the provincial event.

Through the season, point guard Danny Boticki solidified his position as one of the elite U16 players in BC with a series of commanding performances, and was named BC Tournament MVP in Port Alberni. Also in the backcourt, Cam Clark added much improved shooting to his usual fine passing and heads up play, while 6'5" posts Jon Gainor and Richard Greenwood, with their all round ability, gave all opposition matchup difficulties. Rounding out the starting live was newcomer Mike Wighton, who, while struggling at times offensively, was a fit and tenacious defender.

Off the bench, posts Kevin Simon and Craig Kilshaw were invariably competitive and effective, with guards Milan Midjenovich and Tim Street equally able. Grade 9 Jason Reeve was plagued by illness much of the year, but contributed on many occasions with his sound shooting, and Josh Lam improved out of all proportion. Finally, 6'4" post Ryan Jennings also was making a telling contribution before succumbing to injury in early January.

Thanks also to manager Kevin Morin for all his hard work, and, of course to co coaches Mike Shaw and Mischa Greenwood, who had as much to do with the success of the team as any of the players.

Next year will bring new challenges to the players moving to the Senior ranks, as they become part of a squad which should again be in provincial title contention.

-Mr. Ted Anderson







# JUNIOR GIRLS BASKETBALL



B.R.: Mrs. Jean Ives, M. Henri-Bhargava, J. Thompson, K. O'Byrne, C. Adair, V. Gamache, K. Watson, N. Lisinski, Ms. Kim Poland

F.R.: S. Loiacono, J. Jennings, S. Turner, E. Jawl, C. Somerset, R. Stackhouse, O. Ibell

It was definitely a season of ups and downs. Plagued by extreme inexperience and, not surprisingly, inconsistent perimeter play, the team competed very well to be one basket away from qualifying for the Island Tournament.

All the players improved, with posts Kat Watson, Vania Gamache and Krystal O'Byrne all good enough to move up a thin depth Senior squad at season's end. Of the others, Sarah Turner, Carly Somerset, and Jessa Jennings all were prone to mistake under pressure, but did enough to suggest all will be solid players in ther future.

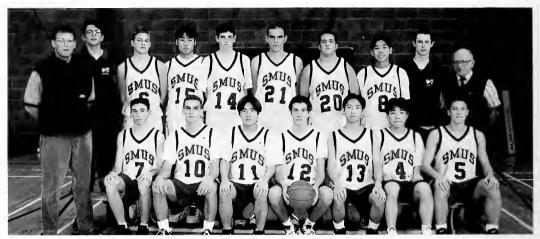
Many thanks to 1996 alumnus Ms. Roxanne Boult for her many hours of coaching, and also to team sponsor Mrs. Jean Ives.

Hopefully, the crucial lessons about commitment and constant practice will have been learned for future seasons. Best of luck.

Ms. Kim Poland



# SENIOR BOYS BASKETBALL



B. R.: Mr. Ian Hyde-Lay, S. Romanchuk, T. Spicer, S.Kim, N.Millar, S. Tate, A. Dowhy, J. Lee, B. Johnson, Mr. Bill Greenwell. F.R. C. Noel, E. Fairhurst, S. Hirao, G.Gibbons, I. Wan, R. Yukawa, M. Danskin.

It was never going to be the easiest of seasons, as a young and inexperienced squad battled through a trying year. A final record of 10-19 was the school's poorest in a decade, and for the first time in that period, the team failed to reach the Island AAA tournament.

However, despite inconsistent play and the disappointment of the final week, much progress was, in fact, made. Indeed, all the players are to be commended from recovering from the wreckage of a 2-10 pre Christmas record, which included an 0-2 start in league, and a desperate performance in the Dover Bay Tournament, in which the group looked about as far away from a legitimate AAA basketball team as it was possible to be. Indeed, the group then bounced back to win six of eleven league games in the New Year, and was in contention for Island qualification until the final play day of the season.

Not surprisingly, the starting five, for a whole variety of reasons was never settled, though guards Chris Noel and Shingo Hirao, the latter our most dangerous scorer and therefore heavily guarded all year, saw the majority of action. Ed Fairhurst, who though limited by poor shooting mechanics, did many other thins well, was the 3 man, with Grade 11s Nate Millar and Steve Tate in the post. Off the bench, when healthy, Tye Spicer was a streaky scorer, and Ryota Yukawa a good ballhandler. Up front, Steve Romanchuk was never hesitant to do the blue collar work, while Glen Gibbons, after a very slow start to the season, played some good stretches. Also, Mike Danskin, Adam Dowhy, Ivan Wan and Sunny Kim practiced hard throughout and made the most of playing opportunities.

The highlight of the season was a dramatic, come from behind 71-67 win over Mt. Douglas (who went on to finish 9th in BC). Perhaps the turning point (the wrong way) came in the Police Tournament in early February, when, after playing extremely well against a talented Carihi outfit, the team frittered away a ten point lead to lose 65-62. The players seemed never to recover from this reverse, and two crucial league games against Parkland and Spectrum subsequently went a begging.

Thanks to all the players, and to manager Ben Johnson, for sticking doggedly to the task. Thanks also to a band of scorekeepers, led by Chris Stolarski, who covered so many games so effortlessly.

To those returning, prepare to be under the microscope once again, as with an influx of talented juniors, the team should again be in Island and provincial contention.

-Mr. Ian Hyde-Lay -Mr. Bill Greenwell

# SENIOR GIRLS BASKETBALL



B.R.: Mr. Gary Laidlaw, D. Lee, G. Chan, K. Lobb, K. Larsen, J. Nash F.R.: D. Age, K.Kerr, C. Jones, K. Wynn, C. Atchley.

It was with some trepidation that the team moved up to the AAA ranks this season, as much to guarantee a solid schedule as for any other reason. In the end, it proved a good decision as the team won a number of key games at the right times en route to finishing 2nd on the Island and reaching the BC Tournament.

Among the best performances of the year were a 64-61 loss to then provincially #2 ranked Heritage Park, and, having lost twice by a single point to archival Mt. Douglas, turning the tables on them 59-66 in the City playoffs to virtually ensure BC qualification. Then, in the Island final against Lambrick Park, a spirited effort had the team leading early in the fourth quarter before fading away to lose 57-47.

The main disappointment of the year came at the BCs, where it seemed many of the players (the notable exceptions being Kristina Kerr and Carys Jones) were either very tentative or happy just to have qualified. A first round matchup with Heritage Park should have been a closely contested affair, but a general hesitancy resulted in a 20+ point defeat. Relegated to the consolation round, the team won just one of the three remaining games to finish 12th.

In the starting five, guards Jo Nash and Deanna Age were, when on song, as good as any pair in BC, with the former a solid ballhandler and defensive ballhawk, and the latter an excellent outside shooter. Up front, Kim Lobb displayed great athleticism, and should be a star in her senior season, while posts Kerr and Emily Clough battled all year against much larger opposition.

Off the bench, Carys Jones often provided the necessary spark, while Kathryn Wynn was also a thoroughly dependable and versatile performer. Kanoux Larsen, Coille Atchley, and Donna Lee did not receive much opportunity in games due to the difficult nature of the schedule, but all improved and are to commended for their contributions. Likewise, Kathryn Watson, Vania Gamache and Krystal O'Byrne all played a good role when moved up on completion of their Junior season.

My thanks to all the players, to assistant coaches Ms. Sue Tomio and Mr. Brian Chang, and to manager Carol Lewis. Most of all, the sincere gratitude of everyone must be extended to Mr. Gary Laidlaw, who as the team GM looked after so capably a myriad of off court affairs.

Best of luck next year to all.





-Ms. Tara Galloway

# **BOWLING**



The inaugural season of Bowling proved to be a great success. Though largely inexperienced, the team eventually improved the strikes to gutterballs ratio, and with 24 competitors, far outdistanced all rival schools in terms of participation.

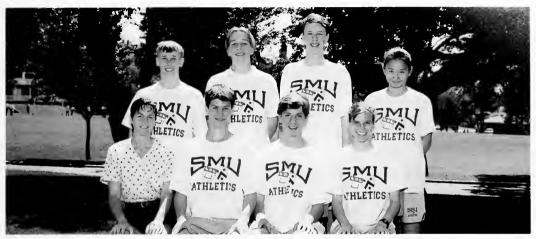
Following the regular season, the team of Chris Lau, Charles Huang and Yusuf Harsono qualified for the City Tournament, while the girls also contributed splendidly. Indeed, on an individual basis, Susan Sin, Olivia Limbu and Stephanie Anderson all figured prominently.

Further congratulations to Colleen Saffrey who won an Optimist Club of Victoria scholarship.

Continued good luck to all next year.

- Mr. Chuck Shergold

# JUNIOR CROSS COUNTRY



B.R: Brian Moss, Graham Snowden, Greg Fowler, Rebecca Sheng F.R: Ms.Judy Tobacco, Mike Wighton, Jamie Saunders, Heather Orr

The 1997 season featured a young and initially inexperienced team. However, with much hard work and countless practices, in a variety of inclement weather conditions, the squad advanced its cardio-vascular fitness and running techniques to finish with some satisfying results.

The seven races in the City league provided the opportunity for all the team to compete in a wide variety of races. Race sites included treacherous obstacles such as puddles which could have passed for small lakes, not to mention gale force winds, snow, sleet, hail, mud, and more mud.

All age groups faced stiff competition throughout the season, with both the Junior Boys and Girls placing third in the City. At the Island level, the Boys gained a fourth place finish, with the Girls in fifth. Excellent individual performances were recorded by Heather Orr, Brian Moss, Mike Wighton and Jamie Saunders.

Thanks and congratulations to all those who took part. Best of luck in upcoming seasons.

-Ms. Judy Tobacco



# SENIOR CROSS COUNTRY



B. R.: Y. Nakanishi, R. Bateman, O. Alasaly, P. Frisby, D. Wilson, A. Williamson, G. Fowler, P. Gill, G. Wooliams. M.R.:L. Wey, T. Ueda, C. Tse, Mariko Miller, M. Turner, G. Cheung, C.Yeh, D. Tang, C. Lau, Ms. Judy Tobacco F.R.: R. Yukawa, A. Wong, J. Chiu, M. Berg, M. Wighton, A. Lin, V. Lau, D. Tseng, L. Lee.

Two main factors made the 1996 team very successful, as commitment to practice and races allied with great depth resulted in tremendous individual and team improvement.

The boys squad of 24 runners finished a strong third in the City competition, and them, in the ultra tough Island meet, ran exceptionally well to place 4th. Fine performances were recorded by Mike Wighton, Dave Wilson, Rob Bateman, Yoshi Nakanishi, Chris Lau, Andrew Williamson, Alan Lin and Pat Gill. This group, competing in a provinicial field of over 350 runners, then again did well to finish 15th overall in the BC meet.

Next year's goals will include fielding a consistently strong girls team and again securing a berth to the provincial meet. The relative youth of this season's group, combined to some talented Junior racers, should be a recipe for success.

Thank you to all for a tremendous effort.

-Ms. Judy Tobacco

# CRICKET



B.R: C.Murdoch, E.Clough, M.Wilson, D.Beswick, N.Arnett, L.Burnett, J.Gordon, D.Weir, W.Davis, J.Bowman, J.Hudson, C.Stephens, P.Frisby, B.Soderberg

M.R: L.Wong, C.Linger, R.Chung, J.Chung, J.Wong, D.Lee, B.Parsons, T.Chadha, E.Findlay, A. McVie, N.Vagvolgyi, V.Drohomirecki, R.Munroe, C.James

F.R. Miss.Jane Hannan, K.Nundy, S.Chan, G.Koo, N.Chng, R.Chambers, A.Wilson, T.Louman-Gard, M.Johnson, E.Calder, Mr.David Fisher

Happily, it has been a terrific season for cricket at SMUS this year, as some 55 students (including 15 girls) took the opportunity to play.

Though the win-loss record (particularly in the "Mid-Week" competition) was jeopardized to a large degree by the decision to involve equally, as much as possible, all team members, this was a positive decision. Indeed, it was very pleasing to note how all players' skills developed rapidly over the twelve developmental games. Nonetheless, several excellent individual batting performances were recorded by, among others, Danny Boticki, Joel Bowman, Pat Frisby, Nick Vagvolgyi, Victor Drohomerecki, Nick Chng and David Ingle. On the bowling front, Emily Clough, Ryan Munroe, Sina Noureddin, Bryce Soderberg and particularly Mahat Johnson proved effective.

Of note were the two all girls encounters vs the VDCA women, two Junior (U15) vs St. Georges, and a 2nd XI game against Stelly's. Unfortunately, both scheduled 1st XI matches vs St. Georges were rained out.

The Alumni game, played May 11, was very exciting. Unfortunately, inconsistent fielding and several dropped catches allowed the Alumni, led by Mr. Jeremy Goodwin's 53 to reach 162-7 declared. Despite a spirited 24 from both Matt Turner and Grade 8 Glenn Roberts, the 1st XI was soon 87-8, before a superb rearguard action by Drohomerecki (36) and Vagvolgyi (20 not out) almost pulled the game out of the fire.

To finish, the match vs the Staff XI was also very entertaining, though some rash batting by the top of the order put the team in a hole at 28-6. Fortunately, another great stand, this time from Vagvolgyi and Johnson, allowed the 1st XI to reach 108 from the allotted 23 overs. This total, however, was unlikely to ever be enough, and so it proved. Mr. Grenfell Featherstone, in his last match for the Staff, opened with a series of crushing boundaries, leading the way to a comfortable six wicket victory.

Thanks to all who took part for a most enjoyable season.

-Mr. David Fisher

# **CYCLING**



B.R: Mr.Alan Jones, Mr. Bill Buckingham, Russ Morton, Ben Acton, Nathan Millar, Michelle Phipps, Mr. Larry Borgerson F.R: Clare Hall-Patch, Kentaro Guthrie, Evan Crawford, Genny Burdett, Mr.Mike Ison

The sport continued its growth in popularity on Vancouver Island, and now draws a very high number of participants. This year, in both the Junior Girls and Boys leagues, there was a healthy increase in riders, which made for much toughe. competition.

The entire SMUS team was comprised of first year riders, who, did remarkably well. In the five race Girls series, Clare Hall-Patch and Genny Burdett, who finished fourth and fifth respectively, rode aggressively against some of the best young cyclists in the province. On the Junior Boys side, Evan Crawford, Ben Acton and Kentaro Guthrie learned a great deal which will stand them in good stead in the future. Combined, the two teams placed 8th out of 17 schools.

In the Senior Boys, Nathan Miller, through his determination, consistency and technical ability, placed seventh overall and was named team rider of the year. An overall 3rd place continued the school's strong performance in the Senior category.

Special thanks to Mr. Mike Ison, who helped as team trainer, and to Mr. Larry Borgerson, who acted as team manager and provided excellent first aid to all in the league.

Mr. Alan Jones Mr. Bill Buckingham

# JUNIOR FIELD HOCKEY



B.R.: C. Somerset, S.Gill, K. Barry, E. Jawl, S. Loiacono

M.R.: L. Chilton, D. Klaibert, C. Adair, O. Ibell, K. Nordlund, Ms. Kim Poland

F.R.: J. Jennings, J. Inkster, S. Wilson, C. Reid, H. Orr

Minus all star goalie Kim Smith, on loan to the BC champion Senior team, and with only a few other returnees, the Junior squad did superbly well all season to finish 1st in the City league, 2nd in the ISA Tournament, and 4th on the Island.

Captain Olivia Ibell set a terrific example all season, while the tactical nous of Charlotte Reid and goalscoring abilities of Sabrina Loiacono were always well to the fore. Sarah Wilson proved to be a tremendous fond in goal, while Lorien Chilton and Carly Somerset both were solid throughout.

Special thanks to Ms. Alison Hunter, ex UVIC Vike, whose time, experience, competitiveness and coaching expertise were greatly appreciated.

Best of luck to all next year.

Ms. Kim Poland

# SENIOR FIELD HOCKEY



B.R.: J. Reed, K. Lobb, C. Lewis, E. Huddart, C. Wenman, K. Cox, C. Jones M.R.: Mr. J. Hunt, R. Mavrikos, G. Burdett, J. White, R. Gardiner, K. Kerr, D. Age, Mrs. N. Mollenhauer, W. Davis F.R.: J. Daniel, K. Smith, C. Yeates

# 1996 BC AA CHAMPIONS

No doubt this short synopsis will do no justice to the 1996 team, which, under great pressure, managed the difficult task of repeating as BC AA Champions. The team received more than a few bumps along the road, suffering several defeats locally before rebounding to win an 11th straight Island title. This accomplished, the players then performed splendidly in Vancouver at the provincials, coming back after a reverse in pool play to defeat a talented Collingwood squad 1-0 in the final.

Co captains Deanna Age and Kristina Kerr set a fine example for the remaining players, and were well supported by the remaining seniors. Grade 11 striker Kim Lobb was a key part of the attack, while newcomer Kelly Cox had the distinction of finishing off a superb four way passing play in scoring the only goal in the BC final. At the back, Grade 10 goalie Kim Smith was rock solid, with no one stop more crucial than a spectacular toe save late in the same provincial title game.

Many thanks also to Jeff Hunt for his coaching expertise and commitment. To all the players, congratulations again, and best wishes in all your future hockey plans.

Wear your silver pins proudly!!









B.R:Mr.John McIntyre, Eric Hung, Scott McCarten, Chris Holenderski F.R: Steve Romanchuk, Blair Nelson, Steve Tate, Michelle Hau Missing:Olivia Limbu

The 1997 season began with great promise as several new students proved to be fine golfers. The arrival of Chris Holenderski from Saudi Arabia and Scott McCarten from the Middle School strengthened the team. Unfortunately during the season, some of the older players were unavailable because of injuries or other sporting obligations and as a result, the team did not fare well either in the Lower Island Tournament or in the I.S.A. Tournament. The team did have an opportunity to salvage the season in the Staff-Student Match but the staff proved to be too powerful winning by a score of 5-2. To Olivia, Michelle, Eric and Blair, who are graduating, and to all the others, I would like to say thank you and well done.

- Mr. John MacIntyre

# **ROWING**



B. R.: A. Holtham, M. Delisle, R. Sin, P. Kim, E. Hung, A. Cooper, C. Mitchell, A. Karchut, L. Wey, J. Wong, J. Coelho, L. Winters, M. Henri-Bhargava, S. Hayes, Ms. Jennifer Walinga.

F.R.: J. Chung, M. Lee.

The SMUS Rowing team had a most successful debut season on Elk Lake during the fall. After competing in three regattas and 24 overall races, all involved had gained tremendous experience, suffered through every type of weather imaginable, learned how to steer (almost!!) and learned the ecstasy of "the last 250" and the agony of "over the heads and up." Most importantly, all learned the true meaning of teamwork and the invaluable lesson of hard work

My thanks to all the Grade 12s for their leadership, and best wishes to those returning for another season. Further good luck to those planning to continue their careers with the Victoria City Rowing Club in the spring.

-Ms. Jennifer Walinga







# **GRADE NINE RUGBY**



B.R.: J. Hung, K. Simon, E. Goldstein, B. Parsons J. Chen, N. Hume, J. Gordon, D. Ingle, K. Guthrie, J. Ho, J. Randle M.R.: Mr. C. Spicer, J. Chung, G. Nicholls, M. Passmore, R. Chian, K. Nundy, C. Jung, C. Linger, E. Weng, S. McCarten, T. Kokubun, Mr. M. Walsh

F.R.: L. Burnett, D. Weir, A. Fairman, C. Teo, T. Johnson, G. Gledhill, M. Ho, K. Chan, I. Wooliams, I. Hayashi, Mr. I. Hyde-Lay

Few school teams in recent seasons have experienced such as astonishing turnaround in their fortunes as that achieved by this year's 9A XV. Following substantial defeats in the opening games vs St. Georges and Brentwood, even the most ardent supporter could be forgiven for wondering if the group had embarked upon a tryless season. Fortunately, such dire predictions proved unfounded. A renewal of commitment, together with a determination to improve skill levels, led to a resurgence of the team's fortunes.

The turning point of the season, a splendid try scored in the opening minute of the home game against Brentwood, provided the confidence and stamina to sustain the necessary effort until Tyson Johnson's last minute conversion sealed a memorable victory. Two wins against Shawnigan then produced the unlikely situation of a possible shared ISA championship - if St. Georges could be defeated on their home ground. Victory in Vancouver, however, proved not to be - but only just!! Resolute home tackling on their own line denied Jin Hyuk Chung and others a match winning try a minute before the final whistle.

Chung, Kevin Simon, Kentaro Guthrie, and Jonathon Gordon, ably supported by the rest of the forwards, all had excellent seasons. In the back division, Scott McCarten held the defence together with his unflinching tackling, while Mike Passmore, with his powerful running, and Itsuki Hayashi, with his deceptive pace and guile, provided the most potent attacking options.

The 9B XV, like their A counterparts, recovered well from a calamitous opening match against St. Georges to complete a season of three wins and three losses. David Ingle, Nic Hume and Eric Goldstein formed a solid base for the scrum, with Eric Findlay and Andrew Fairman developing into a tidy halfback pairing. The many newcomers to the squad, such as Merlin Ho, deserve credit for their consistent enthusiasm and marked improvement.

Special thanks to Mr. Chris Spicer, for performing miracles in transforming the B group, and to Mr. Ian Hyde-Lay for his coaching expertise and explanations of the finer points of Law.

-Mr. Michael Walsh

# **GRADE TEN RUGBY**



B.R.: Mr. B. Kuklinski, A. Shortt, J. Andrachuk, R. Jennings, D. Hsu, M. Boyd, A. Hildred, C. Kilshaw, E. Larsen, D. Boticki, C. Clark, T. Street, M. Mrdjenovich T.R.: Mr. C. Shergold, C. Eun, N. Isaac, L. Rankin, R. Von Schellwit, E. Grant, D. Ishihara, G. Snowden, R. Dacre, N. Stipp, V. Phetsin, E. Herrera, Mr. P. Tonque S.R.: J. Preston, T. Davis, J. Owen, R. Chambers, B. Moss, J. Saunders, E. Cheng, S. Chapheau, D. Barbour, M. Ritter

F.R.: S. Wong, L. Lee, K. Morin, H. Yen, M. Su, A. Payne, J. Salcedo

The 1996 SMUS Colts Rugby season was undoubtedly a great success for all concerned. Overall 44 players put on the Colts uniform, 12 for their very first rugby expenence. In a total of 27 games, 122 tries were scored spread between 25 different players. More importantly, the support that each player gave to the whole squad led to a tremendous spirit within the

group, enabling the Colts tradition to be continued.

The "B" team began their season with an early exhibition win over the Grade 9A side, but lost heavily in their opening Independent School match against St. Georges. However, they bounced back the following week with a convincing victory away at Brentwood, only for the 9A's to turn the tables in their rematch. The "B" side continued their up and down performances with a return 5-5 te to Brentwood and a lop-sided result way at Shawingan Lake, but where the team never stopped playing. The "B" squad played well in an exhibition performances with a feturn 5-5 te to brehivood and a op-sided result away as orlawing at acae, but where the learn hever sopped paying in the B squade played well int an exhibition game against Lansdowne's top side, only to suffer a further loss to St. Georges. However, the "B" squad rallied to finish their season with everyone playing in a fine performance and sound victory over a weakened Shawingan side. While not wanting to take any credit away from the whole team effort, the play of captain and scrumhalf Graeme Snowden, along with fellow backs Jon Preston at flyhalf, and Taylor Davis and James Bigwood in the centres does deserve mention. The front-row of Lucas Rankin, Stephan Chapheau, and Nick Issac, lock Lawrence Lee, and backrow players Eric Grant and Ryan Jennings also deserve credit.

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Following a pre-season exhibition win over Glenlyon/Norlok School, and a Greater Victona league victory over Stelly's, the "A" team were a little weary in their opening Independent School fixture against St. Georges. Nonetheless, they did more than enough to ease out a victory, only to repeat a lethargic first half affort against Claremont. However, a few stem half-time words and a refocus of factics resulted in a solid second half performance and victory. The pressure eased somewhat with a blow-out win away at Brentwood, with the team now knowing what they were capable of producing This would be put to test in the next game, an exhibition match against arch-rivals Oak Bay. Again, through sticking to the right tactics and playing together, a convincing victory resulted. Unfortunately, however, the team lost outstanding flyhalf Danny Boticki with injury for the remainder of the season. A

readjusted side gained a further league win over Esquimait, earning the team a well-deserved half-term break.

Gale force winds and forential rain greated the "A" side in their league match against Glenlyon/Norfolk School. In such conditions anything can happen but a top second half performance into the wind secured a cold yet well-earned victory. The second Brentwood match again proved to be a blow-out win, but enabled the players to become more accustomed to some positional changes before the upcoming big matches. The first of these big games was the league encounter with Oak Bay. Both feams were a little wary of each other early and some scrappy rugby resulted, before the Colts team stretched out to a comfortable win. Next up was the away ISA fixture at Shawnigan Lake, a team similarly undefeated thus far. Perhaps a little jaded, the "A" side never really got into full gear and gave away some soft tries to lose by a big margin. However, on the positive side, they never stopped playing and did get the final score. This was the first ever loss for many in the team and some soul-searching was required, but rather now than later. A repeat closely contested away win at St. Georges followed setting the team up well for the Victoria playoffs.

Glenlyon/Norlik School were the semi-final opponents and many quality ties were scored in a healthy victory to lead the "A" team into a place in the City Final against Oak Bay.

The cold weather threatened to play a part in proceedings but the rain and wind held off. However, the Colls were unable to hold off Oak Bay for long, and although being ahead early in the game it was not to be our day. A disappointing and unusually error and panc filled effort that needed to be put right before the Island tournament, and as falle would have it our first opponent would be Shawnigan Lake School.

With the belief that a win over Shawnigan would ultimately win the Island title, much strategy and mental preparation went into this rematch to bring out the best in all of the players. Writter beater that a wint over 'strawlighar would brinned yet in the Isah of uper, fruch strategy and mental prejatation when into mis remaind not only go under the Both sides began the game nervously, with the Colls seemingly gaining the upper hand only to allow a late first half by and be down 5-7 at the interval. Again after some uncompromising words at the break, the Colls when into the second half winding that they would have to make full use of any sooning opportunities. This they duyly did with two early second half tiers, before hanging on with great conviction and fervour to grain a upset 19-12 victory over tournament favourities. With much jubiation in the air, the players knew that more bough work would needed in the next days. Dover Bay from Nanaimo was the semi-final opportent and the Colls continued their efforts from the previous day, racing out to a big lead of secure a place in the Island final against Oak Bay, with a chance to turn the tables and finish #11 The final was played in true Canadian conditions with snow drifting in, and the Colls side playing some quality fifteen a-side rugby going out to a 15-3 lead at the half, and continuing on for a thorough and convincing 25-8 victory to claim the Vancouver Island Junior Boys Rugby Championship, last claimed by SMUS in 1990.

Again, the emphasis on team commitment and dedication, as well as fun, skill improvement, increased fitness levels, and a greater understanding of the game of rugby, showed itself in the camaraderie built up by each team and the Colts spirit as a whole. Without wishing to focus on individuals, some do need special menton. On the statistics side, Craig Kilshaw was top try scorer with 14, while Tim Street was the points leader with 12 thes and a further 88 points with his boot. Close behind in the try department were Reid Chambers, Enk Larsen, and David Hsu with 13, 11, and 9 tries apiece. The whole "A" team forward pack deserve special mention, especially the foraging front-row play of hooker John Andrachuk,

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Congratulations must also go to John Andrachuk, An Shortt, Carm Clark, Danny Boticki, Reid Chambers, Jamie Saunders, Tim Street, and Grade 9's Jonathan Gordon and Kevin Simon, who were all selected to the Vancouver Island independent Schools (SMUS, Shawnigan Lake, Brentwood, GNS) Under 16 team to attend the Higashi-Osaka City's Foundation 30th Anniversary Junior Rugby Under 16 international Friendship Garnes in March 1997 in Osaka, Japan. It is an honour to be selected for such a side, and this inaugural all expenses paid tipn in particular, and I know that you will all do the school, your parents, and yourselves proud.

Special thanks to coaches Mr. Peter Tongue and Mr. Chuck Shergold for their commitment, enthusiasm and knowledge. Thanks also to parents for your greatly appreciated current and encouragement is like and in pusher.

support and encouragement. Finally to all players, thank you for efforts and I wish you the very best in life and in rugby.

-Mr. Bruce Kuklinski

### SENIOR RUGBY



B.R.: S. Kim, M.Mrdjenovich, G. Pemberton, J. Gardiner, G. Barry, C. Stephens, S. Tate, A Dewar, E. Kim, E. Larsen, A. Jonston M.R.: Mr. Peter Tongue, J. Owen, R. Yukawa, P. Kim, E. Mehnagic, S. Romanchuk, O. Alsayly, T. Street, J. Andrachuk, O. Bregg, R. Chambers, Mr. Ian Hyde-Lay F.R.: C. Noel, R. Sin, M. Danskin, J. Vertes, D. Sander, E. Farihurst, A. Dowhy, H. Lee, R. Murroe, C. Parrot, S. Chapea

With few returnees and limited experiencel little was expected from this year's Senior Rugby crew. How wrong one can be! Beginning in early January the 40+ players practiced and trained through all weather conditions in search of starting positions. Inter-squad trials soon took place and the teams began to take shape.

The 2nd XV lacking continuity due to rarely having the same line-up for two straight games, played an up and down series of nine matches. Despite solid efforts against the more athletic 1st XVs of Belmont, Stellys, and Dover Bay, losses were recorded as was also the case against the very strong Lord Byring and Shawingan Lake 2nd XVs. However, in a three game series with cross town Esquimally, top team performances resulted in three votories, with over lifty points being scored in the final encounter Perhaps the season's best petormance came in a one point loss to the Carson Graham 2nd XV, where stout defense and youthful enthusiasm showed the way. Top performers included Grade 10's An Shortt at hooker, Jason Owen at scrumhalf, and fullback/wing Tim Street. Likewise props George Pemberton and Sunny Kim, and locks Peter and Enc Kim and Chris Stephens all played well, while newcomers Helimut Lee on the wing, and Joe Gardener and Omar Alassay in the backrow improved markedly. Finally centre Andrew Williamson, and wing Matt Turner proved useful attackers.

With limited expectations, the 1st XV began the season with promising exhibition results over GP Vanier, GNS, Dover Bay, Parkland, and the visiting Father Bressani school from Ontario. However, twenty-two points down in fifteen minutes against arch rival Oak Bay was not the best way to start the annual "Boot Game". Yet the team fought back bravely and finished strongly to score at the final whistle, only to fall 25-24, leaving much to proder over spring break.

Immediately upon return, the 1st XV opened against Semiahmool in the imagural BC Premier Series, a competition involving nine of the top sides in the province in a low-sconing affair, the odd fortulous bounce and a last second Ed Fairburst penalty produced a 10-8 win. With the next few weeks certain to set the tone for the remainder of the season, some very hard work was done, including the all-important Mt. Tolime hill sessions, and post-game video evaluations. A confidence building Premier victory over Earl Marriorit led the team into a clash with then #1 ranked Carson Graham. Direct torward play and aggressive defense resulted in a resounding 22-13 win. With some starters resting and reserves getting a needed run, a victory was then achieved in the Lower Island competition over Bellmont.

Two Premer Senes games followed. In the wet, behind Fairhurst's 31 points, the team defeated Magee, before a top-of-the-table clash with Lord Byng. Points came early and by half-time the 1st XV led by 20 points. The patterns of play and discipline faltered in the second half, and as the gap closed and the pressure mounted, the mistakes began to proliferate. With two minutes to play, Byng socred for a deserring win 27-23 This defeat provided imponant lessons, and in many ways was directly responsible for later successes.

Amidst the heavy schedule came the BC Sevens Tournament. With just a few days preparation, the squad showed well in its pool wins over Robert Bateman, Cowichan, and Magee. The second day playoff games provided much stiffer opposition and resulted in losses to Carson Graham and Abbotsford. Nevertheless, the tournament had been a more than worthwhile expenence and was followed by two lop-sided Lower Island victories over Claremont and Mt. Doug before the much anticipated rematch with Oak Bay

There was so little between the two sides that the team making the fewest mistakes would likely gain the upper hand. So it proved, as with two SMUS errors, Oak Bay reversed a 6-0 half- time deficit to edge away for a 15-6 win. Again the lessons were absorbed and some changes made prior to the Alumni Day clash against Shawnigan Lake. In front of over 500 fans, the 1st XV jumped out of the blocks paced by ferocious tackling and an Adam Dowly hat-trick of tree. Shawnigan clawed their way back, and a heart-stopping second half saw Shawnigan ahead by 2 points with ten minutes remaining. With much delight, another late Fairhurst penalty helped snatch a memorable 37-36 victory.

Claremont was no match in the Lower Island semi-final, setting up a third encounter with Oak Bay, this time for the Howard Russell Cup. Again the first half was a seesaw battle with the team add 14-7 at the interval. Despite playing into the wind in the second half the players kept the pressure on for a 24-18 win. A third place in the BC Premier Series was then secured with a resounding 37-5 away win at Abbotsford. After some final thirkning, the BC Tournament loomed large in everyone's sights

A big and physical Penticton side were the first opponents at the B C 's. Some slick second half handling produced the tries necessary to pull away for a 29-5 win. This produced a quarter-final match with Oak Bay. Despite a fast start, the team trailed by 5 points with ten minutes remaining. Not to be outdone, a superb multi-phase try produced a 25-23 win and a spot against Lord Bying in the semi-final. In forrential rain and wind, the XV, hard on defense much of the game just wouldn't crack. Tackling, courage, and character were all to the fore as waves of Bying attacks were halted. Finally, the team got back into the game and, for the third time in the season, Fairfurst slotted a match winning penalty. The provincial final against Shawnigan Lake beckoned

In front of over 1000 spectators at UBC Thunderbird Stadium, the 1st XV began play as if their lives depended upon the outcome. Converted tries by Fairhurst and Andrew Dewar secured an entitle about 5 Shawingan came back to make it 14-73 the break. Shawingan their socied 10 straight second hall points to draw level 1.7-1.7 Drawing on amazing energy reserves, the players steaded, and a late Fairhurst penalty and spectacular Pyots Vukwaw try guaranteed a 27-17 provincial championship triumph.

The dedication and desire of the whole forward pack was noteworthy. Hooker John Andrachuk, rugged props Andrew Dewar and Adam Dowhy (team award recipient and 14 tines), ball-winners. Gavin Barry and Steve Romanchuk and flankers Eirim Mehniagic, Milan Midjenovich, and Alex-Johnston, and aggressive \*48 Erik Larsen (10 tines) played superbly. Behind them captain and scrumhalf Ed Fairmurst was selected to the BC Commissioner's XV and his season scoring tally of 315 points including a team leading 23 tines (along with 175 points from the boot) almost defled belief. Outside him, the steady play of lithhalf Mike Danskin was crucial and he, along with centres Dan Sander, Jeff Vertes, and Quentin Bregg plugged the notes and kept the ball in front of the forwards. Wings Colin Parrott (10 times) and Ryota Yukawa, and fullback (Chins Noel ran hard and improved beech savely with each dame

In closing, thank you to all the players for such an enjoyable and successful season. Much was learned about commitment, loyalty, integrity, team spirit, and character. To the graduates, best wishes in your rugby careers and may you keep involved with the sport. To the many returnees, look forward to next season to more and more hard work. Great resolve will be required to take on the new challenges that await. To the parents, thank you for all your tremendous support and encouragement. Final gratitude to fellow coaches Mr. Peter Tongue, Mr. Ian Hyde-Lay, and Mr. Chuck. Shergold for their expert tubelage and assistance throughout the year.

Mr Bruce Kuklinski

### JUNIOR BOYS SOCCER



B.R: A.Fairman, C.Clark, C.Kilshaw, A.Hildred, J.Lam, I.Hayashi M.R: S.Brown, G.Snowden, J.Bigwood, T.Street, J.Saunders, B.Moss, J.Randle F.R: Mr.Tony Cordle, M.Passmore, K.Guthrie, D.Boticki, C.Callendar, J.Preston, Mr.Peter Leggatt

The team got off to a very slow start this season, playing several strong teams while attempting to assemble a squad from those players who had not left town for the Spring break. However, with a return to full strength in April, solid leadership from the Grade 10s allied to good goalkeeping from Danny Boticki produced a string of victories. In this run, the defensive four, led by Brian Moss, played very well, while Craig Kilshaw, Cam Clark, Graham Snowden, Scott Brown and Itsuki Hayashi supplied the offensive punch.

The team entered the sixteen team City knockout tournament with a favorable draw from the unique format - team names drawn from a hat - and cruised into Round 2 with a 5-0 win over Lansdowne. A superb individual marker by Chris Callender, in the 65th minute, was then the difference over rival Lambrick Park. Despite a disappointing 2-0 semifinal loss to Claremont, the group still had one final chance at the Islands, but, though outplaying Spencer for long periods, the subsequent 2-0 defeat left the team one win short of the Island finals.

A skilled core of Grade 9 players will form the foundation of another contending team in 1998. The Grade 10s moving to the Senior level should complement a number of talented returnees in what could be the school's best side ever.

Thanks to all for their time, effort and commitment.

Mr. Peter Leggatt Mr. Tony Cordle

### JUNIOR GIRLS "A" SOCCER



The team enjoyed a very solid season, and but for a heartbreaking semifinal shootout loss to Lambrick Park, would have won a first ever medal at the Island Tournament

Overall the squad won eight and drew one of thirteen matches, with goalie Sam Lawrence recording five shutouts. Individually, all the players had their moments, but Kim Smith and Charlotte Reid in particular were consistently reliable on defence. Carly Somerset and Heather Orr supplied depth in the midfield while Jen Woodland and Sabrina Loiacono provided most of the offensive punch.

The team may be proud indeed of a spirited. disciplined effort throughout the season. Thanks to all for the commitment

Ms. Sue Belliveau Mr. George Belliveau

B.R: E.Jawl, C.Somerset, K.O'Byrne, O.Ibell, K.Smith M.R: Mr.George Belliveau, A.Larsen, J.Hatton, K.Dillon, J.Thompson, J.Jennings F.R: S.Turner, H.Orr, C.Reid, S.Lawrence, S.Wilson, K.Hill, J.Woodland Missing: Mrs.S. Belliveau

### JUNIOR GIRLS "B" SOCCER



B.R: K.Johnson, R.Parton, S.Hayes M.R: M.Henri-Bhargava, J.Fairhurst, L.Scott, E.Woodward, J.Hatton, N.Mogensen, L.Cheimak F.R: R.Sheng, K.Barry, K.Dawson, J.Weenk, M.Glover, L.Chilton, Mr.Rob Cameron

### SENIOR BOYS SOCCER



B.R.: M. Preston, N. Stanger, G. Fedorak, C. Stolarski, D. Lynch M.R.: Mr. P. Leggatt, D. Sander, G. Tongue, E. Callendar, N. Millar, T. Spicer, C. Mavrikos F.R.: C. Noel, M. Danskin, B. Nelson, E. Fairhurst, C. Parrott

Before the season started the senior players dearly wanted a second chance to return to the BC Tournament and improve on 1995's disappointing 15th place finish. Still, with many newcomers, and the first month fragmented by injury, inclement weather and numerous school trips, the team did not initially jive, and indeed struggled to finish with a record of 5-5-1. This, which included a crucial 0-0 draw with powerful Vic High in the penultimate game, resulted in a 6th place league finish, which, as the highest placed AA team, was just enough to qualify for the BCs.

At the provincials, the team then played some excellent soccer, not actually losing a game in regular time, but still finished 6th overall. A 1-1 draw with eventual champs Langley in pool play was all that stood between the squad and a Final Four placing.

Blair Nelson and Chris Noel shared goalkeeping responsibilities throughout the season and together often frustrated opposition forwards. Nate Millar and Nick Stanger, with help from Gary Tongue, David Lynch, Tye Spicer and Mike Preston, controlled while the midfield featured captain Ed Fairhurst and tenacious Dan Sander. Also in a playmaking role were BC 1st team All Star Ryan Large, Mike Danskin, and Chris Mavrikos, who enjoyed a superb provincial tournament. Finally, the collective speed of strikers Graham Fedorak, Chris Stolarski, Ed Callender and Colin Parrott ensured a regular supply of goals.

Thanks to all the players for their efforts. Best wishes to those returning and to the newcomers for an exciting 1997-98 campaign.

-Mr. John Nash

-Mr. Peter Leggatt

-Mr. Tony Cordle

### SENIOR GIRLS SOCCER



B.R.: Mr. John Nash, E. Huddart, K. Cox, D. Age, K. Larsen, J. Nash, J. White, K. Emsley-Leik, Mr. Rob Cameron. F.R.: C. Lewis, R. Mavrikos, W. Davis, C. Atchley, E. Clough, C. Jones, K. Kerr, A. Cooper, J. Hudson.

It was an extremely successful season. With the boys a highly commendable 6th in BC last fall, the pressure was on to match that performance. The team moved easily thorugh the local competition, though not without some anxious moments against Esquimalt in the league semifinals. At the BC Tournament, a 1-0 loss to Langley ended the dream of a provincial crown, but the squad rebounded well to defeat CE London and Prince George to claim a highly respectable 5th place finish. Joann Nash, dangerous all season, scored nine of the teams ten goals at the BC's and was named a Tourney First All Star, while Ria Mavkrikos was placed on the second team.

Other notables included Grade 11 Carol Lewis and senior stricker Kristina Kerr. In the absence of Grade 10 Sam Lawrence, Carys Jones, Jess White, Emily Clough and Whitney Davis handled the goalkeeping chores by committee.

Thanks to all who took part, and who played with such spirit, skill and sportmanship.

Mr. John Nash

### **TENNIS**



B.R: Dan Ishihara, Lemuel Edillon, Chris Holenderski, Grant Woolliams, Eric Hung, Kaunteya Nundy F.R: Mariko Miller, Amy Karchut, Alisa Cooper, Carol Wong, Vanessa Lee, Noelle Quin, Miss.Jane Hannan Missing.Olivia Limbu

With many enthusiastic players trying out for the 1996-1997 team, solid progress was made throughout the year. The ISA tournament was held in Vancouver, in mid May, with the boys playing at St. George's and the girls at UBC. This proved to be a very successful day for the girls. Comfortable wins over Brentwood and Crofton House put the team into the finals against York House, where Amy Karchut made an amazing comeback 1-5 down to take out the set in a tie-breaker. This produced a 1st place overall finish in the tournament. The boys, although benefiting from the tougher competition, were unable to equal the girls' efforts, placing 4th. With local league matches also concluded, the team then finished a commendable 3rd in the City Championships, and qualified for the Island Tournament held at Brentwood and Shawnigan. The first round match, to keep the team in the running for the BC's, was a tough encounter against Brentwood. 4-1 down, the players dug deep, particularly Chris Holenderski and the boys doubles combination of Dan Ishihara and Lemuel Edillon, to fashion a brilliant 7-4 comeback. Oak Bay then proved to be too strong, which left a match verses Mt. Doug for 3rd and 4th, and a place in the provincials. The team, once again, played with commitment, determined to turn around two previous league losses.

Leading by example, the ever reliable Mariko Miller took the team to another victory. After some confusion with the number of Island berths, the team was deemed to have qualified for the BC's, which were also held at Shawnigan and Brentwood at the end of May. Convincing wins over Magee and MEI resulted in a pool win. Vanessa Lee displayed some fine tennis in her debut singles match and Army Karchut and Noelle Quin proved to be a solid doubles combination. The team then in the semi-finals, defeated Brentwood 6-5, but were well beaten by Little Flower Academy/Vancouver College. A subsequent close loss to Shawnigan in the bronze medal match yielded a 4th place Provincial finish. Well done to all the team on an outstanding effort throughout the entire season. Congratulations to Mariko Miller on receiving the girls singles award at the BC's and for her fine display of leadership. Best of wishes to the team in future years - goodbye and good luck.

-Ms. Jane Hannan





### TRACK AND FIELD



B.R: R.Sheng, K.Guthrie, E.Goldstein, R.Lewis, M.Henri-Bhargava, C.Atchley, D.Boticki, K.Larsen, B.Moss, J.Saunders, M.Passmore, C.Clark, A.Lin, M.Wighton, S.Brown

M.R: Ms. Judy Tocacco, A.Wong, D.Tseng, L.Wey, D.Wilson, C.Yeh, V.Lau, R.Jawl, J.Woodland, K.Morin, L.Cheimak, L.Chilton, M.Glover, C.Hall-Patch, J.Fairhurst, M.Adam

F.R.: M.Wilson, C.Jones, K.Cheung, C.Ried, N.Lisinski, J.Thompson, C.Tse, S.Hudson, A.Larsen, A.Chen

The 1997 season centered around a small but very dedicated group of athletes who used the early season exhibition meets in April as a springboard for a series of fine performances at the various Island and BC meets in late May.

Depth was the key for the Junior team, and the cumulative efforts of the runners, jumpers and throwers resulted in a very competitive 3rd place finish at the City meet and numerous medalists at the Island level.

In the Senior competitions, the dedication of Dave Wilson and Coille Atchley was noteworthy, and both must be congratulated for their maturity and leadership throughout the year. Another asset was manager Mike Adam, normally an outstanding performer, but this year unfortunately sidelined by season ending foot surgery.

The season highlight took place at the Senior BC meet, where, after a outstanding performance in the high jump, Grade 9 Natalie Lisinski became only the second SMUS athlete ever to win an individual medal.

The youth, speed and dedication of this year's squad bodes well for the future. Congratulations and thanks to all who took part this year.

-Ms. Judy Tobacco



### JUNIOR GIRLS VOLLEYBALL



B.R.: Miss J. Hannan, N. Lisinski, K. Watson, V. Gamache, J. Thompson F.R.: J. Hatton, J. Mrdjenovich, K. Dawson, K. Dillon, C. McLean

The Junior Girls team enjoyed the most successful season in school history. Playing in the super tough GVJSSAA league, the sqaud progressed deep into the second round of the knockout competition, and only a series of close and deeply disappointing losses kept the group from reaching the Island tournament for the first time ever.

Another season highlight was the ISA tournament, held in mid October. Key wins over Shawnigan, Crofton House and York House put the team into the final vs Brentwood, who, to their credit were the better team on the day.

Captain Vania Gamache gave consistently strong performances all year, and was well supported by setters Sarah Turner and Jelena Mrdjenovich. Kelly Dillon and Jo Fairhurst were the strongest servers, while Kathryn Watson, Shawna McKee and Joelle Hatton were always fully committed to the tasks of digging and blocking.

Thanks to all who made such a spirited contribution. Best of luck next season, whether at the Senior or Junior level.

Ms. Jane Hannan

### SENIOR GIRLS VOLLEYBALL



B.R.: Mr. J. Edgar, C. Atchley, J. De Haan, E. Clough, A. Horsman, Mrs. S. Hamilton F.R.: K. Larsen, K. Dawson, E. Aitken, M.Volk, K. Wynn, K. Emsley-Leik

The team proved something of an enigma this season, capable of playing very well against good opposition, but then also able to drop down to the standard of much inferior competition. In the end, this inconsistency proved fatal, as the group's hopes of advancing to the Island Tournament were dashed in the City playoffs.

This last reverse notwithstanding, a number of sound results in league play were achieved. Also, the highly competitive ISA Tournament, played at SMUS, produced a creditable 4th place finish, while in the Lake Cowichan and Gulf Islanas Invitationals, pool play wins were not consolidated as they might have been in the semifinal rounds.

Individually, all the players improved, though some still found it difficult to make the sacrifices necessary to perform well on a consistent basis.

Thanks to graduates Emily Clough, Jen de Hann, Coille Atchley, Andrea Horsman, and Kathryn Wynn. Best of luck to those returning.

Mr. John Edgar Ms. Sylvia Hamilton

## SPORTS CANDIDS





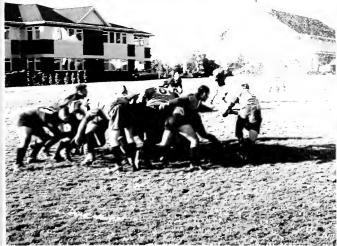


From left to right, back to front

- 1) SMUS Colts Junior Rugby (Celebrating after winning the Vancouver Island Championship)
- 2) Kristina Kerr
- 3) Ryan Jennings, Sunil Khaneja, Takaya Ueda, Kimberly Nordlund, Sarah Wilson, Rebecca Sheng, Ms. J. Tobacco 4) Jacqui Hudson











From Left to Right, Back to Front 1) Irvin Teo, Ryan Knott 2) Senior Rugby Team

- 3) Joanne Nash
- 4) Jessica White, Whitney Davis, Carys Jones, Ria Mavrikos, Deanna Age, Kristina Kerr, Rachel Gardiner

## SPORTS CANDIDS









From Left to Right, Back to Front 1) Noelle Quin 2) Senior Rugby Team 3) Junior Soccer Team 4) Senior Basketball Team





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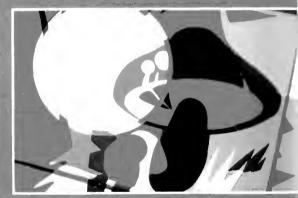
Chris Stolarski, Grade 11



Jacqui Hudson, Grade 12



David Tseng Grade 11

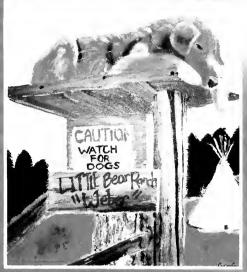


Nancy Kim Grade 1,1

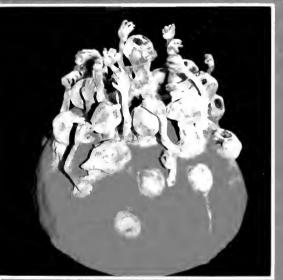




Andrea Horsman Grade 12



Susan Su Grade 11



Sean Carrie, Grade 12



Rabel Boult Gride 1.





Kristina Kerr, Grade 12



Janika McFeely, Grade 12

#### LIFE AVENUE

A life is like a road, and to live a life is to walk all the way until you reach the destination. It is not an easy journey; most of it is up-hill, and some parts are very steep. There are cracks in the pavement that you might trip over, and gaps in the path that you will have to leap across. If you do fall, you will have to pick yourself up and continue on your way. The route is twisted with frequent curves and turns, making the voyage even more chancy because you never know what is on the other side of the bend. Furthermore, there are not any road signs to warn you of dangers ahead or to give you directions. Luckily, you do not have to travel on this journey alone. There are many other people struggling to get to the end along with you. Some may choose to walk beside you; a few might even offer to hold your hand, and because of them, your journey will not be as boring nor as difficult. They will come to your aid when you are hurt, carry you when you are tired, and help you up if you happen to fall. Most of these people that appear by your side will also leave at one time or another. They might start to walk at a faster pace and leave you behind, or walk too slow and eventually disappear from your side, or decide to join another group of people. Some might even change direction and wander off the road. On the other hand, you may be the one who decides to leave, and walk with someone else or by yourself. In any case, it is not so much how you walk down the road as who you walk with.

By Elaine Lai (Grade 11) Dedicated to AS and JP



Geoff Adams, Grade 12



### CLOAK OF APATHY

Oh I long, oh I long For the sweet green days When my fist punched a hole in the sky,

> When reed and gong And sea-spawned haze Did a dust dance for my eye.

In the wandering dusk With my hand in the stars How I would play by the shore

And sing of my lust For the girl of afar For whom my mind yearns no more.

When did this thing come about? How was I to know? Should I dare to return to that downy sweet bliss? Why must the world be so?

> In my mind, in my mind, Though the cockroaches fly There is airy remembrance bright;

So in cracks I can find The hidden ruby Still pregnant with earthly light.

You make this come out of me.
You squeeze my soul till the bug red juice flows from my intestines like river and ends
up in the eternal fire, burning, burning for a sulfureous eternity.

I have chosen to blind myself rather than confront the pain you left me.

Dame Heavenly you! Why must you be so untouchable, yet infinitely grappling?

You just couldn't be what you seemed. I should have known. But why did you lead me to emotional suicide?

On the inside I am screaming, but my cloak of apathy has muted my expression and left me to writhe alone in my self-made torture.

If you only had any idea how much pain you caused me, your mind would burn out.

It hurts me to feel pleasure, because you were there in my mind assailing me. You fireball tongue has ripped out my center and left me a zombie!

Why didn't you just kill me when I was happy and unafraid?

I can't enjoy life, but my hearts stops beating and insane hope forces me to walk through the world dark like a zombie.

I can choose nappiness, so it's meaningless.

My greatest fear is apathy, to which I am apathetic.

I laugh with no reason, smile at my parents' death by my blade, what could ever matter after you took my soul away.

All is a swirling storm of bitter indifference. I cannot react to the world I can't car anymore.

I am dead.



Genny Burdett, Grade 11



Jacqui Hudson, Grade 12



Ed Callendar, Grade 12





Yiffen Chen, Grade 10



Jacqui Hudson, Grade 12





Joanna Lee, Grade 11



Jenny Reed, Grade 11





Kate Saunders, Grade 11



Richard Greenwood, Grade 10



Sean Carrie, Grade 12



David Tseng, Grade 11



Serlene Chan, Grade 10

### **Hypocrisy**

Catharsis; the definitive lie.
The audience feels nothing, learns nothing, lives a lie dies a hypocrite.
Belief is all it is, belief,
Belief for the sake of belief,
A transparent attempt to stave of reality.

Eliot had it right, Until "God" spoke to him, What a waste of a perfectly good suicide.

What to do, What to do?

Cloud my mind, dull my thoughts, let ignorance settle in. Ah, good old artificiality

Let Jesus meet Hitler, It might answer a few of my questions. I'd follow the true light but the moths are flocking to it. I'm alive so I'm a hypocrite, or maybe just a coward.

Ben Naismith-Grade 10



### STEALTH BOMBER, MAGIC EYE

Somewhere in this picture there is a Stealth bomber; do you know what a Stealth bomber is? You need to look beneath the surface, and you'll see it. We are improving your heart-eye coordination.

This is not a photograph of a fantasy beach with silver stones and redblueyellow sand and a seaweed-coloured cotton candy sky—it is a picture of a Stealth bomber and if you concentrate you'll see it.

I promise.

Somewhere in this picture there is a Stealth bomber. This is not a drawing by St-Exupery for the Little Prince on the sunwaves if Sahara; this is not the crystallised vomit of a lab technician who tried to be Dr. Jekyll and ended up in Poison Control; this is not something the brain surgeon found swimming around in King Tut's mummified skull — it is a Stealth bomber and you'll see it if you ever learn to relax.

Trust me.

Somewhere in this picture there is a Stealth bomber.
This is not a digital mosaic in 256 colours
produced by serendipity and a computer crash
This is not God's laughter moving on the face of the waters
This is not a dragon's iris or a silicon chip in a blender
This is not a grain of Tinkerbell's fairy dust
magnified under an electron beam
which if carefully studied will allow us to fly –
it is something permitting flight in a sleek black technical sense
it is a Stealth bomber
and honest you'll see it
the day you cross your eyes like I'm showing you how.

(Con'td)



Robert Bateman, Grade 12

Somewhere in this picture there is a Stealth bomber. It is not imaginary invisible

maliciously hiding

or otherwise deceptive although

Stealth bombers were always specially designed to avoid enemy radar.

Don't look so surprised.

This is an honest-to-goodness Stealth bomber which you may have seem before on a Hanoi docudrama or an autographed Saddam Hussein camouflage T-shirt or sketched out a German exercise yard

in the prison where Hitler had a happy fantasy.

But that doesn't matter because it's not here to kill you

it is only playing hide-and-go-seek

Find it before it finds you -

after all you can't stand here the whole lunchtime.

Somewhere in this picture there is a Stealth bomber. You lazy fool I told you to concentrate you'll never see it vou don't apply vourself.

Look at all this sweat

did I tell you you needed that much effort loosen up you're trying too hard.

Somewhere in this picture there is a Stealth bomber. It is not magic

it is not the Original Chaos

it is not a mutant angel

it is not Hiroshima Nagasaki Number Two it is not an egg thrown from a skyscraper

onto a patch of black ice it is not

any of these things

whether it looks like it doesn't matter

it is a Stealth bomber -

it is a Stealth bomber

and you are going to see it.

Somewhere in this picture there is a Stealth bomber.

fThe secret is to look behind the picture.

Mattieu Boyd - Grade 10



Aries Ng, Grade 12



Vanessa Lee, Grade 10

I think my soul flew away yesterday she's very sensitive and gets upset easily last time when this old man in tight pants yelled at her she went into hiding for a week I think during that time she joined a fitness club or somethin' and had pumped a bit if iron she came back with abs of steel and bulging biceps but I recognized her right away we had a nice chat when she came home and she told me that she had been to heaven but I knew that it was only a fitness place we got into a fight yesterday cuz she said that I was taking up too much space I had pushed her into a corner but she spat in my eye then she bought out a pair of cut out angel's wings and flapped off right now I have no idea how long she's been gone I can hear the loud silence inside my heart where she had rented her little apartment when she decides to return I have to remember to ask her what its like to fly and if she had a pair of wings for me I think that I'd like to fly sometime

### THE MUSICAL REVIEW

At the end of the 2nd term, many students felt that they would like to present their own Musical Revue of the past 10 years of Musicals that has been performed. Rehearsals took place during the first two weeks of April, and a lot of fun and heartache was had by all during this period. Two performances were presented in the old gym and everyone involved in this adventure enjoyed the challenge of "putting on" a student production. GREASE - KISS ME KATE - FIDDLER ON THE ROOF - THE MIKADO OKLAHOMA - ORPHEUS IN THE UNDERWORLD - THE GONDOLIERS -JESUS CHRIST SUPERSTAR - PIRATES OF PENZANCE - HMS

**PINAFORE** 

The Cast Devin Amold Liz Aitken Alan Chen Casev Austin Courtenae Bowman Alan Lin Vania Gamache Rachel Gardiner Devon Hahn Blair Nelson Sarah Hudson Alex Payne Claire Jones Taylor Rankin Rachel Magnusson Robert Sin Yan Mak Chris Smith Amy Slegg Nick Stanger Rebecca Taylor David Tseng Jessica White Keir Wilmut Cara Yeates

The Crew Carys Jones

Gordon Cheung Kim Emsley-Leik Ed Callendar Chris Mavrikos Graham Snowden Russell Morton Rob Bateman Merlin Ho Michelle Butler Mike Preston

Jonathan Hampson Robin Featherstone, DIRECTOR Patrick Gill, MUSIC DIREC-

TOR Kim Breiland, CHOREOG-RAPHER Devon Hahn, Amy Slegg,

**PRODUCERS** Andrea Horsman, STAGE MANAGER

Megan Volk, ASSISTANT STAGE MANAGER Rae Anne Ebl. TICKETS Nicholas Hume.

LIGHTING

Mrs. Humphreys, Accompanist Mrs Williams, Teacher Liason Jan Stanger, Jill Taylor, Carole Urchenko, Merle McCracken, Costumes Mr Mackay, Mr Cook, Mr Park Mr Richards, Lighting Ms. Greer, Program































### FRANCE TRIP

On March the 15th it snowed. On the same day a group of 7 students and myself were preparing to leave Victoria for the slightly warmer climes of France: country rich in history and culture, land of chateaux, baquettes and cheese. After fighting some jetlag, we left Hotel Valgirard to discover Paris, the 'city of lights'. It was fun figuring out the metro system and seeing all the monuments which before had only been in books or magazines. Ordering a simple thing like a sandwich or a drink made it suddenly clear the importance of Grade 9 French. We dined at the Eiffel Tower, visited Notre Dame, walked inquisitively through the catacombs, and fought the crowds at the Louvre. Although exploring Paris was interesting, it was tiring and quite hard on the feet and footwear. After this tasty introduction to parisian life. we took the fast speed train (TGV) to Angers in the Loire Valley. Here, the students stayed with families for 5 days. Now, the true pressure of speaking French was on them. How would they do? Quelle experience!! After the home stay and with more French culture under their belts, the group headed off by bus to visit the famous chateaux. Kodak's stocks went up. Travelling north to Normandy and Britanny we were awed by the splendeur of Mont St. Michel and the old-world charm of St. Malo, a walled city on the rocky coast. One day we travelled along the coast to visit the D-Day beaches and of course, the Canadian and American cemeteries. This was a time of reflection for many of us. On the road back to Paris we overnighted in Rouen, a city on the Seine river, where Joan of Arc was burned at the stake. Julian, our tour guide, gave us many good insights into the history of France and the regions that we visited. In short, a terrific trip which we will not forget for long. (Vania, Elizabeth, Q.B., Nick, Terrence, Nic, Richard and Monsieur La Peche). Au revoir.



- 1) Richard, Nick, Quentin, Mr. Peach, Terrence, Nic, Liz, and Vania
- 2) Nick Vaqvolgyi
- 3) Q.Bregg, L. Novak, V. Gamache, T. Satdeo

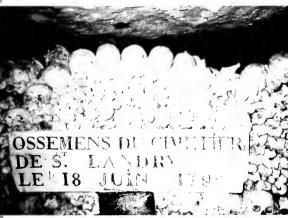














- 1) Mr. Peach
- 2) The Eiffel Tower
- 3) Le Cimetier...
- 4) Vania Gamache, Liz Novak and Nic Hume
- 5) Terrence Satdeo, Quentin Bregg, Nick Vagvolgyi.



# Galápagos Tour 97

During Spring Break 1997, Mr. Jackson and Mr. Leggett led twenty students and four parents on an adventure to Ecuador and the Galapagos Islands. The trip proved to an experience of a lifetime and will be remembered by everyone. After passing our first day in the capital, Quito, we boarded the bus (Ghostbusters!) we would spend the next five days in. Our mainland tour consisted of a lot of driving, with a few stops at key towns along the way, interrupted only by Mr. Jackson's geology stops ("Deanna, what kind of rock is this?"). Highlights and lowlights include the kids in Banos, hiking up Cotopaxi volcano and the toilets in the Amazon. We began the next section of our journey by flying 600 miles off the mainland to the Galapagos Islands. Upon arrival, we met the boats which would become our home over the next five days. The Islas Plazas and The Encantata, and the crew, who would become like family. Our days included early morning hikes on the islands to see everything from boobies to cindercones, days of snorkeling with mantarays and sealions, and nights that ranged from watching the stars to discoing in town. There is no doubt that the memories of the lunar eclipse, the dolphins, the birds, and the tortoises will remain with us forever. Thanks





























## THE LONDON THEATRE TRIP

No, it's not an oxymoron; the truth is, absolutely everything about the spring break **London Theatre Trip** was fabulous, even the weather. Seven days and seven females in a city if culture and shopping... well how could it not be a success?

Highlights of the trip include front row seats to the one-man play "The Importance of Being Oscar," and backalley loitering to obtain an autograph from the star (none other than Simon Callow, of Four Weddings and a Funeral.) Equally spectacular was the art exhibit at the Barbican Centre: "Modern Art in Britain 1910-14," which features the works of various Bloomsbury artists, with a few Van Gogh's, Picasso's and Gaugin's thrown in to ensure heart palipitations.

Musical desires were fulfilled by the Lyceum Theatre's production of <u>Jesus Christ Superstar</u> (Cara almost passed out with rapture) and perhaps moreso by Ali and Cara's reggae renditions in various Underground stations! We also spent time at Westminister Abbey and Cathedral, Buckingham Palace (ask anyone about "Robert"), the British Museum and Madame Tussaud's. Shopping? Everywhere and all the time!

It was a great trip, with the best company!



Lisa Davies, Nicole Arnett, Ali Staseson, Cara Yeates, Tara Elson and Kat Hill.



Kat Hill and Ali Staseson



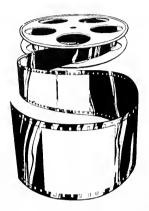


Ali Staceson and Nicole Arnett.



Lisa Davies, Cara Yeates, ???, Nicole Arnett, Tara Elson

### **VIDEO CLUB**



The video club has been very busy taping all of the fine arts events including: the musical revue, the concerts, drama productions and many other arts events during the year as well as prize day / graduation. Copies of any of these videos may be ordered through the bookstore with all profit going towards the purchase and maintenance of video equipment.

This year's most dedicated and active members were: Lucas Rankin, Amy Carruthers, Roland Von Schellwitz, Brian MacKay, Chris Finch and Nicolas Hume

### **NEW YORK CHOIR**



B.R.: Michelle Phipps, Bianca Besenyo, Chris Mavrikos, Mrs. Mary Humphreys, Mitsuru Delisle, Stephanie Anderson, Marisa Ishihara, Mr. Don MacKay.

F.R.: Chantal Nowak, Kate Levering, Rae-Anne Ebl, Ashley Comwell, Joy Liu, Yan Mak.

### MUSIC REPORT







Mr. Don MacKay



The 1996/1997 school year for the senior music department was exching challenging, busy and fun filled under the direction of Mr. Don MacKay. Ms Donna Williams and Mrs. Mary Huminphreys. The classes included grade 9, 10,11 and 12 bands, choirs and strings and music composition in grades 10, 11

and 12 Also, again this year, cross grade concert band, jazz band and orchestra were held at 7.30 A.M. We thank those parents who diligently got their children to school on time for those rehearsals

The choirs started off the year performing beautifully under the direction of Mrs. Humphreys at the Thanksgiving Harvest Service. This was followed shortly by auditions for the Prima Choir, a University group made up of 16 to 25 year olds. The students selected from SMUS were Yan Mak, Joy Liu, Patrick Gill, Anes Ng, Kim Barnes, Alan Chen, Alan Lin, Chnstopher Tse, Robert Sin, Jack Chiu and Vince Lau

The lazz band then had their first performance of the year presenting an hour worth of music in market square to a very receptive audience

In November there was the Remembrance Day Service at which the orchestra performed under the direction of Ms. Williams with Chantal Nowak performing "Remembrances" from "Schindler's List" on solo violin along with the orchestra. We were also again privileged to have Mr. Buckingham play the pipes along with Anita Holtham playing very expressive versions of "The Last Post" and "Reveille". The choir rounded out the service with a rendition of the "Prayer of St. Francis" which featured soloists Mitsuru Delice and Yan Mak

This was followed that evening by the the Symphony Spectacular Concert at the McPherson Theatre. The concert was one of the musical highlights of the year with solo performances by alumning as well as by students from the school Featured solosts were. Enc Kim (cello), Anthony Dolhai (piano), Chantal Nowak (volin), Armyrose McCue (voice), Susan Plats (voice) and Milos Repicky (piano), all under the baton of Kees Bakets. The

senior string orchestra under the direction of Ms. Williams also performed Albinoni's Adago in G minor with Taylor Rankin and John Kwan playing the violin and organ solos respectively. Then the alumni choir along with members of the school choir performed a medley of selections from Gilbert and Sullivan Also included in the evening was a performance by the jazz

band with vocal solos by Yan Mak and alto solos by Alex Dunae It was an evening to remember

First term also saw the grade 12 string class being invited to perform dinner music for the Lord of Shrewsbury at the Old England Inn. They were costumed in medieval dress and performed in the foyer at the beginning of the Lord's formal dinner

Our fall concert this year was held at the University Centre Auditionum on Dec 2nd and featured the bands, orchestras, choirs, alumni choir and combos. Highlights of the concert included, the grade 9.10 band being accommpanied by two fine dancers. Courtenay Bowman and Rebecca Taylor, the choir charming everyone with a Korean folk song featuring Korean students dressed in traditional costumes and Jory MacKay from grade 5 along with Michelle Phipps of Grade 12 singing a duet in "Once in Royal David's City". The

Stating imminished and a special mapped change of the special mapped chang unforcettable chicken dance by Patrick Gill In "Hasta La Pasta", Mama" (along with flying bananas)

The concert was followed by the choirs along with the senior brass ensemble performing at the Carol Senioe in our Chapel and Mrs. Humphreys taking her groups out for various performances around Victoria including the grade 12's singing with the grade 5's at the Monteray Centre Christmas Tea, the grade 9-12 choirs performing at vanous seniors centers, the parent's auxiliary Christmas Bazaar and at the Christmas dinners

Also during the Christmas season several members of the orchestra were selected to perform in the pit for the twelve performances of Stage's production "Oliver"

The strings also accompanied noon hour carol singing outside the library during the last few days of school before writer break. These sing-a-longs have become something of a tradition and are quite exuberant.

In February, twelve of our string students were chosen by audition from all over B.C. to participate in the Honour Orchestra which performed, splendidly at the British Columbia Music Educator's Conference held in Burnaby The participants were. Matthieu Boyd, Sarah Wilson, Charlotte Reid, Evan Crawford, Enck Calder, Ban Acton, Bronwen Bell, Megan Cassidy, Michelle Lee, Rohanna Green, Chris Smith (who led the viola section), and Taylor Rankin (who was concert master). Also selected for the Honour Choir were Robert Sin, Yan Mak Chris Mavrikos, Cara Yeates, Devon Hahn and Alan Chen These string players and the choir members are to be congratulated for their fine performances

Also during February, the jazz band and the jazz combo performed at the Greater Victoria Art Gallery along with the grade 12 strings performing original works by the grade 12 music composition class In this year's music festivals the concert band received excellent and superior ratings in all categories, the string orchestra was awarded 1st prize for their performance and the jazz band reaffirmed its invitation to the National Music Festival in Ottawa. On March the 10th the choirs along with the grade 4.5 choirs and

members of the Father Bressani Catholic School from Toronto presented a choral and solo evening in the old gym. In April, the grade 12 string and choir classes were invited to perform at the Governor's Table at the Union Club. The class provided "cocktail music" at the beginning of the evening and then performed more formally for the dinner guests later on in the evening. They were well received

May brought with it the alumni weekend, which is always a busy time for the music department. The grade 12 strings were once again called upon to provide pre-dinner music for visiting alumni at Reynolds House, followed by a Concerto Concert in the old gym. This orchestra concert featured two of our finest string players performing solos with the senior orchestra accompanying. They were Christopher Smith (viola), and Enc Kim (cello) The concert was well attended, and the soloists were in fine form. The next day the alumni choir along with members of the school choir performed in a chapel service and the jazz band entertained in the quad with a one hour preview of their tour programme. The following week the jazz band flew out to Ontario for a one week tour culminating in a performance at MusicFest Canada where they received a "Silver Medal" award

This year our final concert was held at the University Centre Auditonum on June 3rd and was a great success with all the students taking music in the school participating. Mrs. Humphrey's choirs were again brilliant: the full orchestra played selections from John Williams "Empire Strikes Back" movie score, and the strings played "Star Dust", and "Palladio" by Karl Jenkins, the concert bands presented a big sound and the jazz band along with the wocals of Yan Mak and the very sensitive trombone stylings of Patrick Gill was excellent. We also got to hear our pet rock band "Dysfunktional" playing an onginal work. The jazz band finished off its year with performances for the Middle school and at the Ocean Pointe Resort.

On June 5th our fourth annual "Composer's Concert" featuring the works of Mr. MacKay's music composition students was held. Many of the works were played by computer, however, we also had a jazz quartet, and a rock combo. The efforts of the students were well received and we hope this opportunity continues to present itself every year

The final performance of the year was Prize Day in which the premiere performance of Michael Kwan's piece "A Theme for Amanda"was performed by the string orchestra

To finally wrap up this incredibly busy year, Mrs. Humphreys, Mr MacKay and Mr. Tongue travelled with members of the grade 11.12 choirs to New York for performances at Camegie Hall and at the United Nations Plaza for July 1st, Canada Day

The winner this year to the Blencoe Cup for best all around

musician goes to Patrick Gill.

Our thanks and best wishes go out to all those grads who have given so unselfishly to our music programme over the years. It was yet another busy year for our musicians and we look forward to next year being just as full

### **GRADE NINE BAND**



B.R. G. Nicholls, T. Kokubun, A. Van Tine, G. Wong, N. McCartney, K. Nundy, G. Fowler, M. Ho, K. Simon, P. Beverley, P. Lee, L. Wong, K. Cheung, M.R. A. Martin, K. Chan, J. Ho, C. Somerset, T. Chadha, D. Ingle, A. Wey, J. Lam, A. Fairman, A. Law, D. Beswick, E. Findlay, J. Jennings, D. Weir, N. Lisinski, Mr. D. MacKay

F.R. T. Korki, E. Weng, D. Borzoni, R. Parton, S. Limbu, M. Glover, J. Chung, J. Thompson, S. Yao, J. Goldstein, A. Marshall, L. Scott, K. Wu, C. Kim, M. Yang. Missing. E. Gibson, S. Gill, G. Gledhill, E. Goldstein, J. Helm, N. Hume, J. Randle, M. Wilson, D. Wood, E. Woodward.

### **GRADE TEN BAND**



B.R. A.Dunae. R.Jennings. L.Lee, S.Khaneja, M.Wighton, H.Orr, N.Turner, C.Callendar, C.Mills M.R.Mr. D.MacKay, A. Hutchison, S.Lawrence, N.Stipp, R.Dacre, C.Mclean, J.Andrachuk, M.Ritter F.R. K.O'Byrne, J.Evans, J.Tugwell, C.You, K.Leong, K.Nordlund, C.Smith, A.Weng, N.Brown, A.Payne Missing C.Eun, B.Nasmith, K.Watson

### **CONCERT BAND**



B.R. B. Soderberg S. Noureddin P.Gill C. Callendar G. Fowler, V. Chu H. Lee S. Thomson, R. Maghussen K. Phillips A. Hollham A. Wilson J. Amdrachus. A. Hutchson H. Orr. B. Mak kay. V. Law. N. Ching K. Cheung. 3rd. R. L. Wong, C. Huang, D. Hong, P. Kim, R. Sin, A. Lin, E. Hung, M. Delisle, L. Wilsinson, K. Bourne, M. Kwan, A. Dunae, M. Hau, Y. Mak, R. Jennings.
2nd. R. M. Wilghton, S. Sugimoto, C. Smith, J. Thompson, J. Goldstein, S. Wong, J. Ng, K. Larsen, J. M. Kreekey, E. C. Cugn, M. Jung, S. Yoon, N. Blumberg, Y. Nakanishi, Y. Harsynn, P. Frisby, F.R. Y. Yang, N. Turner, A. Payne, R. Parton, S. Cartre, M. Lee, E. Kim, A. Huang, Y. A. U. Frankin, K. O. Byrne, K. Leong, T. Chu, J. Coelho, D. Arrold, C. Murdoch, Mr. D. Mackay.

Missing, T. Chadha, J. Chiu, E. Goldstein, S. Hirao, J. Kim, S. Lawrence, D. Lee, P. Lee, B. Naismith, K. Nordlund, K. Nordlund, M. Yang, C. You.

### JAZZ BAND



B.R B Soderberg, A Hutchison, S. Thomson, P Gill, S Lawrence, B MacKay, C. Palmer, J Helm. M.R. J. Chiu, J. Andrahcuk, S. Hirao, H. Lee, A. Holtham, Mr. D. MacKay F.R R.Greenwood, B Naismith, D Hong, R. Sin, A Dunae, M Kwan, Y Mak, M. Hau, R Jennings Missing A Wey. M Wighton

### **GRADE NINE CHOIR**



B.R. C. Hall-Patch, G. Chou, S. McKee, J. Reeve, M. Maloney, L. Newton, C. Adair, J. Gordon, M.R. A. Lee, C. Jung, J. Hung, C. Teo, R. Chian, J. Chen, R. Khaneja, I. Hayashi, I. Woolliams, M. Passmore, E. Jawl, K. Dawson, L. Chilton, F.R.; J. Lawton, S. Hudson, B. Parsons, S. McCarten, C. Linger, M. Murgatroyd, K. Johnson, Mrs. Humphreys.

### **GRADE TEN CHOIR**



B.R., J. Tseng, D. Hsu, V. Phetsiri, M. Adam, J. Bigwood, A. Hildred, M. Mirdjenovich, C. Kilshaw, J. Gainor, E. Larsen, D. Boticki, C. Clark 3rd R. J. Ho, L. Ritson, M. Ewans, C. Wilson, K. Buttery, R. Taylor, A. Sunderani, M. Su, K. Lee, J. Cummings, E. Novak, C. Eun 2nd R. C. You, L. Chian, S. Chan, T. Ueda, E. Cheng, E. Herrera, H. Yen, G. Snowden, J. Weenk, S. Henwood-Greer, A. Weng F.R. M. Ikezawa, C. Wong, Y. Chen, T. Yu, J. Salcedo, T. Davis, K. Hill, J. Woodland, R. Grewal, S. Loacoono, K. Wong, V. Lee, Mrs. Humphreys

### GRADE ELEVEN CHOR



B.R.: D.Hong, R. Knott, S.Paulos, C.Noel, R.Yukawa, G.N.Delgado, B.Chiu, R.Large, Q.Bregg, A.Dowhy, A.Sunderan, J.Nash, J.Angus, S.Fellenz, M.R.: A.Huang, R.Sin, J.Hwang, V.Lau, A.Lin, A.Wong, J.Lee, C.Yeh, A.Chen, A.Cornwell, K.Bruce, S.Sugimoto, E.Aitken, F.R.: C.Huang, C.Tse, G.Cheung, G.Tseng, G.Koo, Y.Au, E.Lai, C.Yeates, A.Thomas, B.Halladay, C.McLean, S.Gill, E. Huddart, J.Daniel, T.Elson, Missing; Y.Tanoyo

## **GRADE TWELVE CHOIR**



B.R.: I.Wan, K.Bourne, N.Vagyodgyi, B.Besenyo, P. Andrachuk, C. Stephens, C. Nowak, K. Barnes, A. Johnson, W. Davis M.R. S. Hirao, M.Phipps, A. Hall, C.Pauli, D. Hahn, A. Slegg, C. Nadolski, C. Mavrikos, R.Ebl, K. Levering, Mrs. M. Humphreys F.R.: Y.Mak, J. Liu, S. Liu, J. Poon, O. Limbu, M. Delisle, J. Kim, P. Vephula, R. Naito, M. Ishihara

### **GRADE NINE STRINGS**



B.R. K. Guthrie, M.Lin, R.Lewis, E.Crawford, L.Burnett, B.MacKay, C.Palmer, T.Johnson M.R. Mrs D.Williams, R.Jawl, C.Jones, K.Barry, S.Turner, J.Fairhurst, J.Inkster, B.Acton F.R. T.Louman-Gard, S.Brown, E.Calder, B.Roberts, J.Miller, L.Cheimak, M.Wilson, B.Bell, S.Holberg-Missing, J. Yoo

## **GRADE TEN STRINGS**



B.R. N. Issac, L.Rankin, M.Boyd, J.Saunders, B.Moss, T.Rankin, R.Greenwood M.R. S.Chapheau, J.Kwari, C.James, E.Grant F.R. R.Sheng, N.Mogensen, A.Larsen, S.Wilson, C.Reid, D.Klaiburt, A.Arnett, Mrs.D.Williams

# **GRADE ELEVEN STRU**





B.R: J.Bradbury, A.Dawson, E.Kim, M.Danskin, M.Lee, Mrs D.Williams F.R: R.Anglin, C.Bowman, M.Cassidy

# **GRADE TWELVE STRINGS**



B.R; J.White, R.Green, L.Lee, D.Wilson, N.Stanger, M.Kwari, N.Jupe, H.Gibson, Mrs D Williams F.R: C.Saffrey, R.Featherstone, R.Gardiner

# MUSIC CANDIDS











Student Council - Prefects - Peer Counsellors - Debating Recitation Competition - Book Lover's Club

# STUDENT COUNCIL



Back Row: Aya Larsen, Nathan Millar, Richard Greenwood, Greg Fowler, Mitsuru Delisle, Tara Elson, Yan Mak. Front Row: Robert Bateman, Kathryn Wynn, Mr. Peter Tongue, Mr. Keith Murdoch, Rohanna Green, Patrick Gill.

It has been a pleasure to see the park benches in the quad being enjoyed by our students this year. The benches were placed there as a result of a Student Council initiative and financial help from the Parent's Auxiliary.

We have held meetings on a regular basis throughout the year attending to the many and varied concerns of the student body. There have been questions about the uniform, the sports programme, the timetable, the tuck shop, and so the list goes on.

The Council is not a high profile organization but it is important to recognize it as a vital channel for the students at S.M.U.S. to voice their ideas and concerns.

My thanks to the student representatives for a job well done.

-Keith Murdoch, Chairman

# **PREFECTS**



Back Row: Ivan Wan, Nick Stanger, Jennifer De Haan, Ed Callendar, David Wilson, Rachel Gardiner, Kathryn Wynn, Matt Turner, Sendjaja Desember, Patrick Gill.

Front Row: Russell Morton, Maria Kwari, Colleen Saffrey, Robert Bateman, Yan Mak, Vanessa Yang, Andrea Horsman, Rohanna Green, Anita Holtham.

# BEST OF LUCK TO THE



# PEER COUNSELLING



Back Row: Tina Barrett, Jenny Reed, Matt Turner, Becky Bazzard, Andrea Horsman, Mrs. Jean Ives. Middle Row: Carol Lewis, Louise Ritson, Rebecca Anglin, Christine Wenman, Joy Liu

Front Row: Emily Huddart, Roxanne Black, Sabrina Loiacono, Jen Ford

Peer counselling at SMUS continues to involve an active group of people who volunteer their time to support their friends. They work hard to acquire basic counselling skills, as well as learning what resources are available to people who need help with life situations. The open house at the CRD Birth Control Clinic, and a visit from a volunteer on the Need Crisis Line helped us look outside the world of SMUS.

The time commitment is big, but so is the satisfaction of helping. An added compensation is that peer counselling hours can be counted toward CAPP work experience, or for the service component of the Duke of Edinburgh program.

A major disappointment this year was that the Lion's Club Camp at Shawnigan Lake was not available for our annual "retreat". Between that and academic, athletic, and fine arts demands, the peer counselling trip never happened; this in spite of Becky's willingness to host us on Salt Spring Island.

In May the group did some work with the grade 8 classes on the topics of alcohol, smoking and marijuana. Mr. Yorath was very enthusiastic about this project and hopes to expand the contact between peer counsellors and middle school students in the future.

As always it is hard to say goodbye to graduating students, although we wish them the best in whatever comes next. This year they are: Peter Andrachuk, Tina Barrett, Becky Bazzard, Jen Coelho, Jen Ford, Andrea Horsman, Joy Liu, and Matt Turner. Other members of the group are: Sabrina Loiacono, Louise Ritson, Rebecca Anglin, Roxanne Black, Emily Huddart, Carol Lewis, Kim Lobb, Jenny Reed, Christine Wenman.

# DEBATING



Back Row: Alex Martin, Andrew McVie, Keir Wilmut, Robin Featherstone, Matthieu Boyd Middle Row. Mr. Grenfell Featherstone, Patrick Frisby, Dixie Klaibert, Ashley Arnett, Rebecca Anglin, Megan Volk. Front Row: Timothy Louman-Gard, Marcia Wilson, Sarah Holberg, Angela Marshall, Sarah Hudson, Shao-Yee Yao

# RECITIATION COMPETITION



Jenny Reed, Ali Staceson, Tara Elson, Claire Jones, Matthieu Boyd

The recitation competition is always an exciting event and this year was no exception. The finals were held in the school chapel before an audience of perhaps eighty people and there were some wonderful performances. Lindsay Basarab began the evening with a polished delivery of the Desiderata. Peter Kim in the cultural then moved the audience with a heartfelt delivery, first in his native language and then in English of a poem called Birthplace. He was followed by wonderful performances by Clare Jones, Morgan Evans, Jessica Miller, Vanessa Lee, Bronwen Bell and Tara Elson. After the interfude, Chris James instructed the audience in The Addressing of Cats and Goldie Chan delivered another moving cultural piece called Tradition. Matthieu Boyd then delivered a very mature rendition of two Leonard Cohen poems and was followed by two equally strong performances by Ali Staseson doing a monologue which goes dreadfully awry and Jenny Reed delivering a dignified recitation of a Louis MacNiece poem. The evening ended with an engaging performance of Angels in America by Rachel Magnusson. Matthieu Boyd won the award for the top junior. Ali Staseson was the top Dramatic piece by a senior and Peter Kim won the grand prize for his wonderful performance of the poem Birthplace. My congratulations to all of the participants and I hope that the tradition of excellence which this competition represents will continue well into the future.

# THE BOOKLOVER'S CLUB



From L to R: Miss Greer, Mrs. Snowden, Michelle Phipps, Kathryn Wynn, Cathy McCarten, Ashley Cornwell, Katherine Johnson, Philip Beverley, Lindsay Basarab, Mrs Tweedie, Mrs Waksel.

How to provide students who love to read the opportunity to share their interests in books and reading with others? The answer lay in formation of the first Booklover's Club. Our goals were to share favourite books, meet with other booklovers in the school, of students from Grade 9-12, three staff members and an honorary patron, Mrs. Anne Snowden as part of the Club.

We listened to Ki t Pearson, Tim Wynn-Jones and Karen Cushman at the Children's Literature Round Table evenings, and visited the Junior School to hear storyteller, Nan Gregory(How Smudge Came!) The 7.15am start for the Princess Mary Restaurant Author Breakfasts on mid-winter momings did not deter us from listening to authors and artists such as Roy Vickers and David Bouchard. Mrs. Snowden hosted a Christmas lunch at Reynold's House where we shared new books, excellent company and Christmas cheer.

In February we browsed the bookshelves at Bolens and chose books which now have yellow SMUS Booklovers' Choice stickers on their front covers (look out for orange SMUS Student Choice and green SMUS Staff Choice!) designed by Mrs. Waksel.

We finished off the year with a t-shirt competition (thank you Miss Greer, Ashley and Lindsay) and a wonderful potluck barbecue at Reynold's House with Mrs. Snowden where we said farewell to Kathryn Wynn and Michelle Phipps and made plans for next year. In the Fall we will welcome all interested new members.

Thank you Kathryn, Michelle, Cathy, Lindsay, Katherine, Philip, Ashley, Mrs Waksel, Miss Greer and Mrs. Snowden for your contribution to the first Booklover's Club! We look forward to another enjoyable year sharing our common maxim: "I cannot live without books" (Thomas Jefferson)

# JAZZ BAND ONTARIO TOUR



B.R; S.Hirao, A.Hutchison, B.Soderberg, R.Greenwood, B.MacKay 3rd R: M.Kwan, S.Thomson, R.Sin, A.Holtham, P.Gill, Y.Mak, D.Hong 2nd R: C.Palmer, H.Lee, J.Andrachuk, J.Helm, J.Chiu, S.Lawrence F.R: Mr.G.Belliveau, A.Wey, A.Dunae, Mr.D.MacKay, B.Naismith, M.Hau, Mrs.A.MacKay

This year the jazz band under the direction of Mr. MacKay did a tour of Ontario. We started the trip by flying to Toronto where we connected with our hosts from Upper Canada College and Bishop Strachan School. The next day we played an extremely well received concert for the girls at Bishop Strachan. After that we went to the CN Tower and then did a nice walking tour of Toronto with Mr Belliveau as our guide. He along with Mr. MacKay's wife, Audrey (the band mom) were the other chaperones on the trip and appeared to enjoy themselves immensely.

The next day we headed out to Woodbridge, an Italian community on the outskirts of Toronto. Mr. Lettieri had brought his band out to our school in March and his students were extremely receptive to us and treated us royally. We played a one hour concert for them, settled in with our billets for the night and the next day visited Canada's Wonderland, an outrageous roller coaster park. It was great fun and even Mr. MacKay did the"Drop Zone" a couple of times. There was no way, however, that Mr, Belliveau was going to do that.

Our next stop was Lakefield College where we again were treated most kindly by Mr. Grasmuck and the students. The concert there was one of the finest any jazz band from SMU has ever played and the students of LCS were very responsive.

On Saturday we bussed to Ottawa, spent some time touring and then settled into our hotel where Alex, Patrick and Bryce put on a mini jazz show around the pool. The next morning we were off to the National Music Festival in Hull. We listened to a few bands then played our set and waited for the results. What a pleasant surprise for our group to win a silver medal at this level. Everyone was ecstatic. We then went to the closing ceremonies and flew home the next morning. All in all it was a very good trip and a fine time was had by everyone.

### The tour band members were:

Alex Dunae	Alto sax
Ashley Wey	Alto Sax
Michelle Hau	Alto Sax
Yan Mak	Alto sax/Vocals
Robert Sin	Tenor sax
Daniel Hong	Tenor Sax
Ben Naismith	Tenor Sax
Michael Kwan	Baritone Sax
Colin Palmer	Piano
Adam Hutchison	Guitar
Richard Greenwood	Bass

Patrick Gill	Trombone
Samantha Lawrence	Trombone
Sarah Thomson	Trombone
Brian MacKay	Trombone
Anita Holtham	Trumpet
Jack Chiu	Trumpet
Shingo Hirao	Trumpet
Helmut Lee	Trumpet
Jordan Helm	Drums
Bryce Soderberg	Bass









Peer Counsellors in Wenman.
 Vince Lau, Grant Wooliams, Alfred Wong Jamie Chung, Goldie Chan, Jackie Wong, Lauren Ingle, Donna Lee, Renee Chung Jeter Andrachuk, Tina Barrett, Carol Lewis.





Boarding Prefects - Barnacle House - Bolton House - Harvey House Symons House - Timmis House - Winslow House - Candids

# **BOARDING CANDIDS**















- 1: Grace Koo, Helmut Lee, Alfred Wong, Goldie Chan, Jason Lee, Chris Tse, Gordon Cheung, Vince Lau, Elaine Lai, Donna Lee, Jamie Chung, Yvonne Au. 2: Kelly Dillon, Jacob Harten.
- 2: Kelly Dillon, Joelle Hatton
- 3: David Barbour, Chris Challendar
- 4: Amy Fellenz, Susan Fellenz, Natalie Lisinski, Kathryn Buttery
- 5: Maya Ikezawa
- 6: Lorien Chilton, Karen Dawson
- 7: Gordon Cheung, Gerald Wong, Alfred Wong, Renee Chung, Grace Koo, Jason Lee, Yvonne Au, Vince Lau.

# **BOARDING PREFECTS**



### **BARNACLE HOUSE**

Back Row: Sendjaja Desember (Head of House), Sunny Kim (Assistant Head of House), Glen Gibbons, Borden Tseng, Lucas Lee.

Front Row: Mr. Bill Greenwell, Mrs. Sylvia Greenwell, Mr Kelly Greenwell, Mr. Mike Ison, Mr. Bruce Kuklinski.

### **BOLTON HOUSE**

Back Row: Eric Hung, Gary Tongue, Keith Philips, Ed Callendar (Head of House), Irvinn Teo.

Front Row: Mrs. Eva Cameron, Danny Tang, Youn-Keun Lee, Vincent Law, Mike Preston (Assistant Head of House), Mr. Rob Cameron.



### HARVEY HOUSE

Back Row: Mitsuru Delisle, Pat Vephula, Martin Jung, Ivan Wan (Head of House), Dan Sander, Simon Lau. Front Row: Mrs. Joan Jones, Mr. Melville Jones

### SYMONS HOUSE

Mahat Johnson, Rob Bateman (Head of House), Chris Lau, Yoshi Nakanishi,Shingo Hirao, Ken Yeh, Nathan Millar.



### **TIMMIS HOUSE**

Jen Ford, Amber Hall, Vanessa Yang, Michelle Hau, Mrs Lisa Hyde-Lay, Alisa Cooper, Andrea Horsman (Head of House).



### WINSLOW HOUSE

Mrs Marain Tongue, Tina Barrett, Coille Atchley, Marisa Ishihara, Jennifer De Haan (Head of House), Yan Mak (Assistant Head of House), Connie Sze, Sharon Om, Mr. Peter Tongue.





# BARNACLE HOUSE



B.R: S. Desember, S. Kim, O. Alasaly, J. Lee, B. Tseng, J. Vertes, G. Gibbons, E. Larsen, B. Johnson 2ND R: K. Lee, J. Kim, D. Tseng, J. Bigwood, C. Yeh, J. Hampson, M. Berg, Mr. B. Kuklinski, Mr. K. Greenwell F.R: Mr. B. Greenwell, Mrs. S. Greenwell, R. Yukawa, L. Lee, R. Sin, C. Tse, C. Stolarski, Mike Isom

In the words of Robert Herrick, "Old time is still a-flying" and this year is no exception. It seems like only yesterday that we welcomed everyone back from summer vacation. We were joined by Mike Ison and Kelly Greenwell, two new house assistants who adjusted quickly to their new jobs. New students were Ken Lee, Omar Alasaly and a latecomer from England. Jon Hampson. Greatly reduced in size due to the top floor take-over by Winslow girls, our twenty-two Barnacle Baselisks fought bravely in the battle of the housepoints to maintain their second place finish.

The year has been both hectic and rewarding for most of us. House dinner at Earl's, barbecues at the G's, inner-house basketball nights and ten pin bowling, movie and Pizza nights, are just a few of the popular activities in which we participated. Other things, somewhat less advertised, have also been recorded: the return of Ryota's long-lost yen; the late night excursion of BJ and Mafu; the extraordinary flood in J and O's room [ught] GG and J's moming sleep-a-thons; GG's strange cackling laughter emitting from rooms all over the house; weird noises from Winslow disturbing the dead zone of the upstairs hallway; talkathons in the front hall; strange disappearances; GG, J and S's marathon moming sleepins; strange smells- Korean cooking ?\*~!\*\$# - was that music? GG, J, S and J-W sleepins; the yucky award-winning room of J and S; K's yellow specs and silk pj's; and CI pacing the halls......

On a serious note, there was a lot to be proud of this year. There has been so much that we cannot mention everyone, but you know who you are. On the academic front, most Barnaclers made satisfying progress. Well done! Hearty Congratulations to all those who have given their untiring effort to Drama, Rugby, Basketball, Soccer, Badminton, Scorekeeping, Choirs, food Committee, pop-can collecting and volunteer work. Better luck next year to those who did not participate. Tsk! Tsk!

There are some bouquets to be handed out: to Mr. Kuklınski [Mr 3K Coy], our able assistant, who is fast becoming a world renowned Rugby referee; to Mr. Mike Ison, [Big Red] who came to us from Ridley College and is moving over to Bolton to become the Grade Eight Supervisor; to Mr. Kelly Greenwell, [I hate Vancouver] an alumnus of SMUS, who will remain next year; thank you for your many contributions throughout the year to life in Barnacle House.

A big thank you for the excellent leadership of our Head of House Sendjaja Desember, ably supported by Assistant Sunny Kim and prefects Lucas Lee, Borden Tseng and Glen Gibbons. Finally as we say goodbye to our grads, Sendjaja, Sunny, Lucas, Jae-Won, Ben, Borden, Glen, Jeff and Jon, and to James, who will continue his education in England, we Bamaclers wish you all good health and happiness as you pull out of the SMUS station. May the next section of track on your journey along life's railroad be stimulating, rewarding and smoke-free.









1 - Brigid Halladay, Lauren Ingle 2 - Steven Hsu 3 - Susan Sin, Joanne Poon, Grace Koo, Sylvia Suen, Donna Lee, Andrea Sam 4 - Bolton House Game 5 - Michelle Phipps, Andrea Horsman 6 - Barnacle Basketball Night 7 - Charles Huang, Hilo Yen, Daniel Hong, Tad Kokubun 8 - Kelly Dillon, Kim Bruce 9 - Ms Hannan











# **BOLTON HOUSE**



B.R. Mr. T. Milford, K.Simon. D.Tang, E.Callender, K.Phillips, G.Tongue, I.Teo, M.Preston, D.Ingle, C.Callendar. 3° R.Mr. R. Cameron, D.Hsu, G.Woolilams, G.Nen Delgado, L.Wei, Y. Tanoyo, Y.Lee, J. Chen, J.Preston, D.Barbour, Mr. C. Culham. 2° R.S. Mitchell, V.Lau, N. Ching, A.I.Wooli, G.S. Ghowden, E. Hung, E.Cheng, M. Su, V.Law, Mr. C. Burnett.

1° R. Mrs.E. Cameron, D.Yukawa, I.Woolilams, K.Cheung, J. Chung, A. Law, J.McCaflurn, G.Glenhill, N. McCartney, Mr. J. Goodwin.

This was a year of a lot of ups and two big downs. If start with the good news. Within the last twenty-four hours the security blanket surrounding the identity of the House Competition champions was finally lifted, to a yawn from Yos and polite appliause from the other five houses. This year's versions of the competition was a light reflact me down to the last event on the last day and produced a result that was a tribute to all who particular to the grade twelves, who set a great example of commitment and leadership. Botton performed well in all areas of the competition, showing exceptional muscinaship in basketball garnes and a definess of touch in taping a fellow student to the gym wall, disqualified in the orange, were rebounded in the wrap-a-student-in-foliet-paper competition own with a straight flush. My one regret was that the boarding community did not get the opportunity to withess the speed and skill of our soccer and floor hockey teams, but this was partly offset by the performance of our relay teams. Provided the straight of the provided that is a competition of the straight flush in the stra

The year marked the end of an era, to represent it in any other terms would be to understate the impact that Mesars Juremy, Goodwin and Todd Millord have had on Botton House, the school and western ovilization in general insince the beginning of the innetes. The announcement of Mir Goodwins impending retirement from boarding did not come as a shock, since his shift in the vineyard has been a long one and of late his glance has strayed with increasing frequency and ardour to his golf clubs. Nonetheless, it was not long before the implications of his move began to sink in and we realized that next year the comdors would no longer resonate to stentionan sounds of displeasure as JUG discovered grade eights under a pile of laundry, or underwear that contravened most of the provisions of the Geneva Convention; or Yos in bed, no longer would we be treated to the spectacle of JJ attacking a total to buy with his redoubleable plunger in annear reminiscent of Don Oujquist and his windmildings, no more would the pocket money be distributed by colour rather than by amount. Like the well-worn but beloved jacket of an elderly goffer. JJ was as much a part of Botton House as the walls and doors - more dependably so, in fact, since he didn't say or spring leaks as often and his handles didn't fall off.

He will view his six years in the latest edition of Botton House with a mixture of tolerant amusement, frustration, despair and, we hope, affection, amusement at our attempts to establish any kind of routine; frustration and despair as some rooms turned into archaeological middlens, affection on what has become a large, unruly but extraordinantly loyal farmly. I can say with some conviction that certain memories of his association with the House will haunt him to the end of his days, his weekly duels with Chris Futton, the king of the bath mat, Demoth Hutton, the singing runn. Bawo Daibo and Euran Frew, whose room provided living evidence of the ability of matter to expand and occupy a space larger than that available, and Yos, who spent more of the year asleep than awake and is probably unaware that Mr Goodwin ever addressed him. These ghosts will cause him to shark the occasional drive, but he will remember them fondly in the security of a distant bunker or dublishouse. The bronchail mosting of the vacuum deaners on Thursday evenings will be more mountful, and there will not be the same analytic lossing of drawers on a week's worth of detritus at the approach of the Grand Inquistor. He will be missed.

The vacuums will also be playing a laiment for the departure of an assistant, a friend and a mentor whose sojourn in the House has been shorter than JJS but nonetheless amazingly nich in human warmth, commitment and vitality. Todd Millord joined us in September, 1998 and, in a would of uniforms, protocol and addescent striving for sophistication, at once stood out as a beacen of straightforward integrity and caring. Whether as House Assistant or Grade Eight Advisor, he spent most of his waking hours helping students with their academic work or personal problems, or refining esoteric finishee techniques, his congenital inability to refuse a favour enmeshed him in such disparate tasks as house- string, bike-mending and boollegging Statbuck's coffee for the duty staff and prefects, and he narrowly escaped a gristy end at the paws of his temporary roommate last Christmas. Toof has been so much of the heart and soul of Botton House that we will require a period of thorpsals-like introversion before emerging as a new and, we trust, reinvigorated body. In casual conversation with Ed and Mike the other day I alludes to the possibility that the prefects would consider a grade 13 term to tide us over the loss of Messirs Goodwin and Millord, their hysterical Busilpters suggested that I might have to wait some time for an answer in the affirmative.

Considering that we shall also be losing one of the strongest corps of prefects in living memory, we might have been tempted to circle the waggons. Fortunately, we can face the future with perhaps more optimism than we might have had reason to expect. In Mr. Charles Burnett we have an Assistant House Parent who understands the vaganes of Bolton House and brings considerable expenence of the SMUS boarding system, on both sides of the fence, to the job of filling Mr. Goodwin's shoes, in Hywel Jones we have one of the people for whom the fence was built. And, of course, our perpatient troubadour, Cam Culham, will be back to set every duty evening to music. Our slate of prefects for next year is strong and imbued with the true Bolton virtues, whatever they are, despite the occasional nostatigic glance over the shoulder, we are looking forward with confidence to another fine year.

Farewell to David Hsu and Geoff Gledhill we have enjoyed your company and hope that you will visit soon To Ed. Mike, Danny, Vince, Gary, Enc. Keth, Youn-Keun and Innn - thanks for everything your loyal leading his base on esponsible for so much of what has gone night this year, especially for the warm relationships that are so tital for the smooth operation of a sludent residence. You pass on a healthy torch; it is now up to Nick and company to get You up in the morning (perhaps by using the healthy torch), it is operated be availed and company to get You up in the morning (perhaps by using the healthy torch), it is only up to Nick and company to get You up in the morning (perhaps by using the healthy torch), it is only up to Nick and company to get You up in the morning (perhaps by using the healthy torch), it is not you will not up to the property of the property

# Harvey House



The spirit lives on...



























- 1. Y.Au, J.Poon, E.Lai, D.Lee, S.Sin, A.Sam
- 2. M. Yang, C.Kim, K.Wu
- 3. R.Bateman, G.Belliveau
- 4. A.Ng, D.Tang
- 5. S.Chan, S.Sin, K.Cheung, M.Ikezawa
- 6. A.Staseson, A.Thomas
- 7. J.Chiu
- 8. C.McCarten, L.Novak, B.Halladay, K.Cox, G.Koo, S.Chan
- 9. S.Hirao, M.Mrdjenovich
- 10. L.Edillon,D.Yukawa, L.Wei, I.Hayashi, K Simon
- P.Kim, J.Yoo, S.Won, J.Kim, C.You, A.Lee, K.Lee, K.Kim, M.Jung
- 12. V. Yang, R. Ebl, A. Cooper, M. Volk, K. Emsley-Leik
- 13. R.Bateman, S.Hsu, Y.Nakanishi, C.Lau, S.Hirao, M.Mrdjenovich

# SYMONS HOUSE



B.R. Mr.E. Jones, M.Johnson, R.Williams. R.Bateman, N.Millar, S.Tate, J.Hwang, Y.Harsono, K.Yeh, Mr.G. Belliveau M.R. A.Chen, D.Summers, A.Lin, M.Mrdjenovich, S.Hirao, D.Hong, C.Huang, S.Hsu F.R.: Y.Nakanishi, T.Kokubun, C.Teo, H.Yen, S.Wong, R.Chian, A.Fairman, G.Chou, J.Chiu Missing; Mr.H. Jones, Mr.S.McQueen

1997 marks a major turning point in the demographics of the boarding community. Symons House, it was decided, was to become a girls' residence for the '97-'98 campaign. So, despite their unanimous conviction to stay there anyway, the stallions pictured above represent the last bastion of testosterone ever to grace the halls of the building. This year's Sassenachs did not "go gentle into that good night" but forever etched their names into Symons House lore. For example, legend has it that Yusuf anf Jack were once found awake during prep. And, although records of the event are spotty at best, it has been speculated that Dave may have at one time sat quietly at his desk for almost two straight hours. Ji, historians now claim, once endured a whole half hour without talking on the phone. Word is still out on whether Ross may have done the same. Daniel and Charles, many say, set an unofficial school record for the most number of consecutive tutorials spent in a state of non-attendance. Rigorous scrutiny of the log book also suggests that Gary may have at one time been in bed at lights out and that Richard once took in a breath of fresh air (a claim supported by the sharp decline in the state economy of Virginia at that same moment). Records also point to an incident in which Milan is reportd to have passed a mirror without assuming an interminable series of buff postures. And perhaps most shocking of all, a member of the school community reportedly spotted The Artist Formerly Known As Andy on campus during the third term. A rare sighting indeed, for that time of year. And speaking of sightings, Shingo was once seen outside the.....well, these are just rumours after all. So, as the year draws to a close and our graduates scatter to the four winds (and the others to the three other male houses) a big thank you must be sent out to all for making the year such a memorable one. Mr. Evan Jones and Mr. Scott McQueen also take with them our best wishes as they take their leave from life in the residential bubble.

# TIMMIS HOUSE



B.R: A Hall, L.Wilkinson, J.Ford, M.Volk, R.Ebl, A. Staseson, K.Hill, K.Emsley-Leik, A. Huang, L.Chian, J.Ho, K.Watson, A. Horsman, A.Cooper, Mr.C. White 3rd R: N.Lisinski, J.Weenk, Y.Yang, S.Limbu, C.Kim, A.Fellenz, C.Kim, C.Wong, M.Wong, K.Wong, L. Basarab, Mrs.J. Walinga, A.White 2nd R: Ms.J. Hannan, Ms.G. Miller, Mrs.S. Belliveau, M.Phipps, G.Chan, C. Mitchell, V.Yang, B. Harang, K. Buttery, M. Evans, S.McKee, T.Chiu, A.Thomas F.R: C.Chou, A.Na, Y.Lee, K.Cheung, C.Lin, T.Yu, J.Chung, M. Hau, A.Weng, V.Lee, Mrs. L. Hyde-Lay, G. Hyde-Lay, Mr.I. Hyde-Lay, D. Hyde-Lay, Mssing M.Yang

The year began as a tumultuous one with an extended house (50 girls), four new assistant housemums and me, new to the position of senior housemum. Many of the returning girls felt distressed by the lack of familiar faces on staff. However, the new housemums were enthusiastic, optimistic, and ready to commit to the house and the girls, and it wasn't long before they proved themselves kind, caring and supportive. By second term relationships had been formed and the girls were into a positive routine. There was never a dull moment as our lives seemed to be one (melo)drama after another with the girls and housemums swept up in the constant ebb and flood of emotional experiences. Jamie (grade 11), in a farewell speech to her roommate. Melissa, at the year end picnic, eluded to the often intense relationships that develop in boarding when she stated that "you either hate or love your roommate". Thankfully she loved her roommate ("even more than Ivan!"). However not every roommate pairing is so fortunate, and many girls go through the experience of learning to compromise, to communicate specific needs, and hopefully, to develop compassion and diplomacy in the process.

The year was extremely eventful with weekly activities such as swimming and Family Time (baking cookies and watching 90210 were favourites). Also, there were numerous seasonal activities, Girls nights at Wenman Pavilion, and house dinners and picnics. Then there was the house event of the year, the Winslow Raid!! The housemums, aliases Vice, Thunder, Coug, Lucky Lady and Jimmy, dressed in black and donning sunglasses, whipped the girls into a frenzy of excitement and house spirit. The war paint came out, the house chant resonated throughout the quad, and the Winslow girls were left shocked and thoroughly crushed in games of Shoes and tug of war! One of the girls commented she felt the Timmis spirit "pulsing through her veins!"

Besides these many and varied house events, the girls were witness to the progression of two pregnancies. On the eve of January 06, a few hours before our house meeting to welcome the girls back from Christmas holidays. I phoned Ms. Walinga to say I would not be able to run the meeting because I thought (though I was not convinced) that I was in labour. Word traveled quickly and within minutes the house was in hysteria. I had continual knocks at my door from excited and expectant faces offering everything from good luck hugs and a dream catcher for the baby, to chocolate chip cookies!! I drank raspberry leaf tea (supposedly reduces the intensity of labour) with the other housemums in between contractions. It was wonderful and very supportive to be able to share this emotional and awesome experience with the girls and the housemums, and just before midnight. Graeme was born (in the hospital)! And as I write this, Mrs. Belliveau sits beside me with a very distended belly, being only 3 weeks away from her delivery due date. We wish her a safe, gentle and speedy delivery of her baby. There are many more such tales and each girl will have her own favourite stories and memories of the year.

Thank you to our prefects: Andrea Horsman (head of house), Vanessa Yang, Jennifer Ford, Michelle Hau, Amber Hall, and Alisa Cooper for their sterling efforts and leadership throughout the year. To the housemums: Ms. Walinga, Mrs. Belliveau. Ms. Miller, and Ms. Hannan, my dear friends, thank you for your unwavering support and love of the girls. To the graduates, we hope you have learned from your experiences here and are now ready for the years ahead. We wish you all the best and expect you to keep in touch. To Mrs. Belliveau and the girls who will be moving to Symons house (the new girls' house), we are sad you will no longer be apart of the Timmis family, but comforted by the knowledge that you will still be living in the building and that we will see you daily. Thanks to Ms. Hannan, affectionately known as Jimmy, for such a warm and compassionate spirit. You have given yourself so completely to this school, and especially to our house. You are loved dearly and will be missed beyond words. We wish you a safe trip home to Australia and a wonderful reunion with your family. To the girls returning, we look forward to a smaller house and a fabulous year along side our new sister house.

Mrs. Hyde-Lay, Senior Housemum















1 - Joy Liu, Marisa Ishihara 2 - Ryota Yukawa 3 - Nick Chng, Chris Callendar, Nathan McCartney 4 - Jonathan Hampson, Vania Gamache 5 - Steve Tate 6 - Keith Phillips 7 - Robert Sin 8 - Joelle Hatton 9 - Kimberly Emsley-Leik, Vanessa Lee, Michelle Hau, Alice Wang, Goldie Chan, Ms Hannan, Sarah Limbu, Alisa Cooper, Anna Huang, Jamie Chung, Courtenay Mitchell







# WINSLOW HOUSE



B.R. S. Liu, A. Hsi, T. Barrett, B. Bezzard, C. Atchley, J. De Hann, J. Liu, Y. mak, O. Limbu, S. Peng, C. Sze, S. Suen, S. Om, E. Lai, G. Koo, C. McCarten

3RD R: J. Wong, S. Sugimoto, N. Kim, K. Cox, K. Bruce, L. Ingle, B. Halladay, D. Lee, G. Tseng, K. Dawson, M. Lee, Y. Au, A. Sam 2ND R: V. Gamache, J. Tseng, R. Naito, M. Ishihara, S. Chan, M. Ikezawa, Y. Chen, C. You, E. Novak, J. Hatton, Mrs. S. Hamilton, P. Hamilton, Mr. C. Hamilton

F.R. Ms. A. Hunter, Mrs. M. Tongue, Ms. S. Hart, A. Lee, S. Won, R. Chung, K. Cheung, J. Poon, J. Yoo, K. Dawson, K. Dillon, Mr. P. Tongue

The year passed far too quickly in a whirlwind of activity and change. September arrived, as did 28 new girls, 21 returning house vets; and new house staff Ms. Hart, Ms. Hunter and Mrs. Forbes. The increase in girl boarders caused the third floor of Winslow to extend across to the third floor of Barnacle. The prefects and house staff held their breath in anticipation- what would this year bring and how were we going to effectively manage and connect with...... girls?

The year was good to us and the girls are to be credited for creating a home which was filled with warmth and spirit. The girls learned and practiced the value of good friendship and sisterhood. This year's prefects, Jen deHaan, Head of House, Yan Mak, Coille Atchley, Marisa Ishihara, Sharon Om, Connie Sze and housekeeper Joy Liu, are to be commended for their outstanding contributions to the house.

This year's "sanctioned" house activities included: dinner at Macaroni Grill, movie nights, video nights, waterfights, the first annual house ski trip to Mt. Washington (tagged by the girls, "chick trip 1997"), pizza and ice cream cake nights and Mrs. Tongue's snack nights. We topped the year off with an elegant evening out on the town - the girls were dressed to the nines and we started the night with a Tally Ho Carriage tour of Beacon Hill Park, then moved on to the Grand Pacific Hotel for dinner in our own private dining room.

Beyond the classroom and the house, the girls were also very generous with their time and energy. Many of the girls performed volunteer duties at the local hospital, spending time with senior citizens, volunteering with alumni weekend and working with the Global Society.

Thank you girls, for a wonderful year. To our graduating Winslow girls, we wish you success and happiness in your life ahead and beyond the doors of your home at Winslow House.

# AWARDS

# GRADE NINE AWARDS

Benjamin Acton David Beswick Lila Cheimak Lorien Chilton Evan Crawford Andrew Fairman Earson Gibson Kentaro Guthrie Clare Hall-Patch Jordan Helm Merlin Ho Jacqueline Hudson Nicholas Hume Christine Kim David Ingle Jessalvn Jennings Michael Lin Natalie Lisinski

Angela Marshall Nathan McCartney Bryce Parsons Jason Reeve

Anaie Lee

Bianca Roberts Kevin Simon Jennifer Thompson

Sarah Turner Ashley Wev Jennifer Yoo Erick Calder

Jacqueline Goldstein Jonathan Gordon Tadanori Kokubun Joshua Lam

Rhvs Lewis Chad Linger

Timothy Louman-Gardiner Robyn Parton

Michael Passmore Lauren Scott

Elizabeth Woodward

Shao Yee Yao Bronwen Bell Supreet Gill

Mary-Ellen Glover Eric Goldstein

Elizabeth Jawl Scott McCarten

Marcia Wilson Marianna Yang Tara Chadha

Carley Somerset Sarah Holberg

Greg Fowler

Claire Jones

Sarah Hudson

Distinction in Strings Outstanding Effort in Math Distinction in German Distinction in Physical Education

Distinction in Science Outstanding Effort in French

Outstanding Effort in Math Distinction in Japanese

Distinction in Choral Outstanding Effort in Band Outstanding Effort in Drama

Distinction in French Honours Outstanding Effort in Math 10 Outstanding Effort in Math 10

Distinction in Drama Distinction in Spanish Distinction in Geography Distinction in Drama First in Choral

First in German Distinction in Geography Outstanding Effort in Choral Distinction in Choral Outstanding Effort in Math

Canadian Honour Roll - Pascal Distinction in Physical Education

Distinction in Physical Education Distinction in Band

Outstanding Effort in Science Distinction in Strings, Japanese Distinction in Spanish, French Honours

Distinction in Choral, Physical Education First Equal in Science, First in Math 10

Distinction in German: Outstanding Effort in History Distinction in History: Outstanding Effort in Physical Education

Outstanding Effort in Choral, Math Distinction in English, History

Distinction in Band; Outstanding Effort in History

Distinction in Physical Education; Outstanding Effort in Choral

First in Japanese: Distinction in French First in English; Distinction in Science

Distinction in French; Outstanding Effort in History

First in Strings; Distinction in French; Outstanding Effort in Spanish

First in French; Distinction in History, Spanish

Distinction in French, Japanese; Outstanding Effort in Math

Outstanding Effort in History, Band, Math 10

First in Geography; Distinction in Choral, Physical Education

Distinction in History; Outstanding Effort in Choral, Physical Education Distinction in Geography, Math 10; Outstanding Effort in French Honours

Distinction in Japanese: Outstanding Effort in Geography, ESL Distinction in Drama, Science; Outstanding Effort in Math 10, History First in Physical Education; Distinction in French, Geography

First in Japanese, French Honours, History; Distinction in Strings, Science, Geography

First in Band; Distinction in Spanish, French Honours, English, History, Science; Outstanding Effort in Math 10

First Equal in Science, First in Spanish: Distinction in Drama, French Honours, English, Math 10. Geography

Distinction in Spanish, Math, French Honours, English, Geography, Science, Choral; Outstanding Effort in History

# GRADE TEN AWARDS

Michael Adam John Andrachuk Nigel Brown Lilian Chan Brienne Coleman Joywin Cummings Ravina Dhillon Morgan Evans Chris Eun

Christopher Finch Maude Henri-Bhargava Andrew Hildred Kathryn Hill

Maya Ikezawa Samantha Lawrence Lawrence Lee Kathryn Leong Christopher Mills

Darren Mason Ben Naismith Kimberly Nordlund

Alex Payne Vasin Phetsiri Lucas Rankin

Taylor Rankin Jamie Saunders Rebecca Taylor Kathryn Watson

Karen Wong Yvette Yang Danny Boticki

Reid Chambers Serlene Chan Kelly Dillon

Alexander Dunae Vania Gamache Olivia Ibell Dan Ishuhara

Ryan Jennings
Kimberly Smith
Graham Snowden
Rebekah Stackhouse

Nicholas Stipp Chris You Chris Callendar Susan Hayes Christopher James Brian Moss

Krystal O'Byrne Heather Orr Charlotte Reid Takaya Ueda Michael Wighton Carol Wong

Hilo Yen Joelle Hatton Vanessa Lee Christine Wilson Richard Greenwood Dixie Klaibert

John Kwari Elizabeth Novak

Aya Larsen

Rebecca Sheng

Matthieu Boyd

Distinction in Choral
Distinction in Geography
Oustanding Effort in Chemistry
Oustanding Effort in Choral
Distinction in French Honours
Outstanding Effort in Physical Education

First in French
Distinction in Choral
Distinction in Biology
Outstanding Effort in Drama
Outstanding Effort in Physics
Distinction in Choral

Distinction in Choral
Outstanding Effort in Math

Outstanding Effort in Math 11 Distinction in Band Distinction in Art

Outstanding Effort in Physics Outstanding Effort in Math

Outstanding Effort in Computer Applications

Outstanding Effort in Band Distinction in Band Distinction in Drama

Outstanding Effort in Choral

Outstanding Effort in Computer Applications

Distinction in Strings
Distinction in Physical Educations

Distinction in Choral
Distinction in Biology

Distinction in Choral Distinction in Art

First in Physical Education; Outstanding Effort in Math

Distinction in Phylics, English

Distinction in Chemistry; Outstanding Effort in Art

Outstanding Effort in Drama, Math First in Band, Music Composition 11 Distinction in Drama, Choral

Distinction in Geography; Outstanding Effort in History

Distinction in Math 11; Distinction in Outstanding Effort in English

Distinction in Chemistry; Outstanding Effort in History First in Spanish; Distinction in French Honours

Distinction in French Honours; Outstanding Effort in Physical Education

Distinction in History, English

Distinction in History; Outstanding Effort in Math 11

Distinction in Band, Choral

First Equal in Computer Applications; Distinction in Spanish, Physical Education

First in German; Distinction in Geography, Computer Applications

Distinction in Strings, English, Computer Applications, Music Composition 11
Equal First in Computer Applications; Distinction in Geography, Physical Education
Distinction in Physical Education; Outstanding Effort in French Honours, Biology

Distinction in German: Outstanding Effort in Physics, Biology

Distinction in Biology, Physical Education; Outstanding Effort in Physics

Distinction in Physics, Math 11, Chemistry

Distinction in Math 11, Drama, Physical Education; Canadian Honour Roll - Caley

First in Japanese; Distinction in Choral, Beginners Spanish

First in Japanese 11; Distinction in Math; Outstanding Effort in ESL Distinction in Computer Applications; Outstanding Effort in Art, German, Biology

Distinction in Computer Applications, Outstanding Enfort in Art, English Pirst in Choral; Distinction in Biology; Outstanding Effort in Art, English Distinction in Geography, Choral; Outstanding Effort in French, Chemistry

First in Strings, Art; Distinction in English, Physics, Math 11

Equal First in Geography; Distinction in History, English, Math 11, Chemistry, Biology

Distinction in Biology, Geography, Physics, Strings, Advanced Japanese; Outstanding Effort in History First in Beginners Spanish; Distinction in Geography, French Honours, History, Chemistry, Biology, Computer Applications, Choral, Physics; Outstanding Effort in Math

Equal First in History, First in Advanced Japanese; Distinction in Biology, Chemistry, Geography, English.

French Honours, Math11, Physics, Strings

First in French Honours, Physics, Math 11; Distinction in Geography, Spanish,

Chemistry, Biology, Computer Applications

Equal First in Geography, History, First in English, Chemistry, Biology; Distinction in Advanced Japanese, Computer Applications: Outstanding Effort

in Physics



# **GRADE ELEVEN AWARDS**

Elizabeth Aitken Mathew Berg Matthew Boulton Kimberly Bruce

Goldie Chan Alan Chen Brandon Chiu Nicholas Chng

Mike Danskin Jenny Franklin

Stephen Hsu Anna Huang Alec Johnston Elaine Lai

Kanoux Larsen Donna Lee Jason Lee Michelle Lee

Carol Lewis Mariko Miller Joann Nash Christopher Noel Daniel Saunders

Katharine Saunders Christopher Smith Bryce Soderberg Sayuri Sugimoto

David Tseng Megan Volk Lance Wei Leah Winters

Jeremia Williams
Jacqueline Wong
Jonathan Zacks
Megan Cassidy

Megan Cassidy Gordon Cheung

Genny Burdett Jean Daniel Distinction in Choral
Distinction in Biology
Distinction in Drama
Oustanding Effort in Biology

Distinction in Math 11
Equal First in Choral
Distinction in Physics 11
Distinction in History

Distinction in Physical Education

First in Biology

First in Computer Applications
Outstanding Effort in Choral
Distinction in Physical Education
Outstanding Effort in French Honours

First in Advanced Japanese Oustanding Effort in Chemistry

Distinction in Math 12; Canadian Honour Roll - Fermat

Distinction in Spanish

Outstanding Effort in Biology Honours Distinction in Advanced Japanese Distinction in Physical Education Distinction in Physical Education

Distinction in Biology

Outstanding Effort in Drama Distinction in Spanish Oustanding Effort in Band Outstanding Effort in Choral

First in Art

Distinction in Drama
Distinction in Art
Distinction in English
Distinction in Spanish
Distinction in English
Distinction in Spanish
Distinction in Spanish

Distinction in Strings; Outstanding Effort in History

Distinction in Chemistry, Math 12; Canadian Honour Roll - Fermat Distinction in Biology Honours; Oustanding Effort in Math 12

Outstanding Effort in Choral, French

Distinction in Math 12, Choral

Vince Lau

Kimberley Lobb Rachel Magnusson

Courtenay Mitchell Sam Paulos

Steven Romanchuk

Christine Wenman Laura Willihnganz

Cosmos Yeh

Sheryl Dodd Peter Kim

Grace Koo Jenny Reed

Christopher Tse Cara Yeates

Rvota Yukawa

Jayne Bradbury

Kelly Cox

Eric Kim Joanna Lee David Lynch

Robert Sin

Chris Stolarski Steven Wong Nathan Millar

**Grant Woolliams** 

Lindsay Basarab

Rebecca Anglin

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Alfred Wong

Jack Chiu

Distinction in Biology Honours, Physical Education

Distinction in Geography, English

Outstanding Effort in Math 11, French Honours

Distinction in Choral; Outstanding effort in Biology Honours

Distinction in Physics, Math 11

Equal First in English; Distinction in History

Distinction in English, Biology Honours

Distinction in Math 12; Outstanding Effort in Physics First in French 12; Distinction in Geography, History

Distinction in Physics, Geography, Art

First in Chemistry, Physics; Distinction in Biology Honours

Distinction in Biology Honours, English, Art

Distinction in Math 12, Choral; Outstanding Effort in Japanese

Equal First in Drama; Distinction in Choral; Outstanding Effort in Biology

Honours

Distinction in Physics, Physical Education; Oustanding Effort in Chemistry First in Geography; Distinction in Biology Honours, French Honours; Out-

standing Effort in Physics

Distinction in Geography, French Honours, Physical Education; Outstanding

Effort in History, Chemistry 12

First in Spanish, Strings; Distinction in Chemistry, Math 12 Distinction in Chemistry, English, Geography, Japanese

First in History; Distinction in Geography, Art; Outstanding Effort in Physical

Education

Equal First in Choral; Distinction in Math 12, band; Outstanding Effort in

Physics

Equal First in Drama; Distinction in History, English, Physical Education Distinction in Geography, History, Band; Outstanding Effort in Physics Distinction in Chemisty, Spanish, French Honours, Physical Education;

Outstanding Effort in Math 12

Distinction in Geography, Chemistry, French, History, Physical Education;

Oustanding Effort in Math 11

First in French Honours; Distinction in English, Geography, Biology Honours;

Outstanding Effort in Chemistry, History, Math 12

First Equal in English, First in Biology Honours; Distinction in Math 12, Physics. Strings

First in Math 12, Computer Programming; Distinction in Chemistry, Geography, Physics; Outstanding Effort in Choral; Canadian Honour Roll - Fermat

Fisrt in French, Band; Distinction in Chemistry, Math 12, Physics; Outstand-

ing Effort in English

# **GRADE TWELVE AWARDS**

Devin Arnold Kimberly Barnes

Michelle Butler Edward Callendar

Sean Carrie

Emily Clough

Alisa Cooper Mitsuru Delisle

Rae-Anne Ebl

Patrick Frisby Hayley Gibson

Patrick Gill

Schloarship-Rohanna Green

Michelle Hau

Anita Holtham

Marisa Ishihara

Allison Johnson

Martin Jung

Jae-Won Kim

Jacqueline Hudson

Jennifer Coelho

Tina Chiu

Tina Barrett First in Geology, Outstanding Effort in Chemistry, Physics

Distinction in Choral

Nicolas Blumberg First in Computer Programming.

Distinction in English Lit, Geology, Geography

Distinction in P.E. 11
Distinction in English, Art
Outstanding Effort in Physics

Economic Investment Prize, Distinction in Physics, Economics, English

Distinction in English, Scholarship winner of Canadian Math League

Distinction in English, Biology, English Lit.

Outstanding Effort in Math

Equal first in Math, First in Econimics; Distinction in Choral, Calculus.

Outstanding Effort in Calculus

Distinction in French, Outstanding Effort in English

Distinction in French

First in Chemistry, Physics, Band; Distinction in Music Compostion, Biology, AP

Calculus. Canadian Math Honour Roll-Euclid, Medal-Euclid, \$500 Math

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First in English, English Lit., Spanish; Distinction in Chemistry, Physics, AP Calculus. Euclid and AHSME.

Distinction in Geography, Band; Outstanding Effort in Math, French , P.E.11 First in Biology, Distinction in Chemistry, English, English Lit, Physics, Band, AP Calculus

First in Art, Outstanding Effort in Biology.

Outstanding Effort in Physics

Equal First in Geography, Distinction in Geology, Choral, Outstanding Effort in

Survey Math

Equal First in Math, First in Calculus.

First in Japanese

Equal First in Survey Math

First in Music Composition, Distinction in Band

Distinction in Math Distinction in Physics

Outstanding Effort in Chemistry

Sunny Kim Michael Kwan Christopher Lau Vincent Law Lucas Lee Youn-Keun Lee

Distinction in Survey Math

Joy Liu

Distinction in Choral, AP Calculus

Silvia Liu

Distinction in Calculus

Alex Martin Chris Mavrikos Distinction in English Lit., Outstanding Effort in Chemistry Distinction in Choral, Outstanding Effort in Geography

Janika McFeely

Distinction in Art, Outstanding Effort in Math

Russell Morton

Distinction in Geology

Aries Na

Equal First in Survey Math

Sina Noureddin

First in AP Calculus, Distinction in Chemistry, Physics, Canadian Math Honour Roll-

Euclid, \$500 Math Scholarship-UVic

Sharon Om Keith Phillips

Outstanding Effort in Physics Outstanding Effort in English

Michelle Phipps

Distinction in Choral, Drama; Outstanding Effort in English, English Lit., P.E. 11

Michael Preston

Outstanding Effort in Biology Outstanding Effort in Physics

Jaclyn Reid-Ivany Robyn Reid-Ivany

Outstanding Effort in Math

Colleen Saffrey

Distinction in French, Biology, Strings, Outstanding Effort in AP Calculus

**Daniel Sander** 

First in P.E.11, Outstanding Effort in Math

Amy Slegg

Distinction in Choral

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First in Drama, Distinction in Strings, Outstanding Effort in P.E.11, English Lit.

Connie Sze

Distinction in Spanish

Danny Tang

Distinction in Survey Math, Calculus

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Rachel Gardiner Maria Kwari

Distinction in Strings

Gary Tongue

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Distinction in Strings, Art.

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### **ALUMNI ASSOCIATION SCHOLARSHIP FOR MERIT**

Christopher Stolarski

### JUNIOR DEBATING CUP

Sarah Hudson

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Keir Wilmut

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Peter Kim

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Sarah Hudson

### **CONSIDINE CUP - MOST IMPROVED IN GRADE X**

Michael Adam

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Richard Greenwood and Aya Larsen

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ALUMNI ASSOCIATION AWARD - STUDENT WITH THE HIGHEST AVERAGE IN SCIENCE

Patrick Gill

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Patrick Gill

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Michelle Hau

NESTA BOWEN HORNE PLAQUE FOR ART

Jacqueline Hudson

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Blair Nelson

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Keith Philips Chapel Warden

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Emily Clough Prefect, Athletics, Top Academic, Musician

Rachel Gardiner Prefect, Musician, Athlete, Scholar

Matthew Turner Prefect, Athlete, Peer Counsellor

Nicholas Stanger All Rounder, Musician, Drama, Outdoor Sporting

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